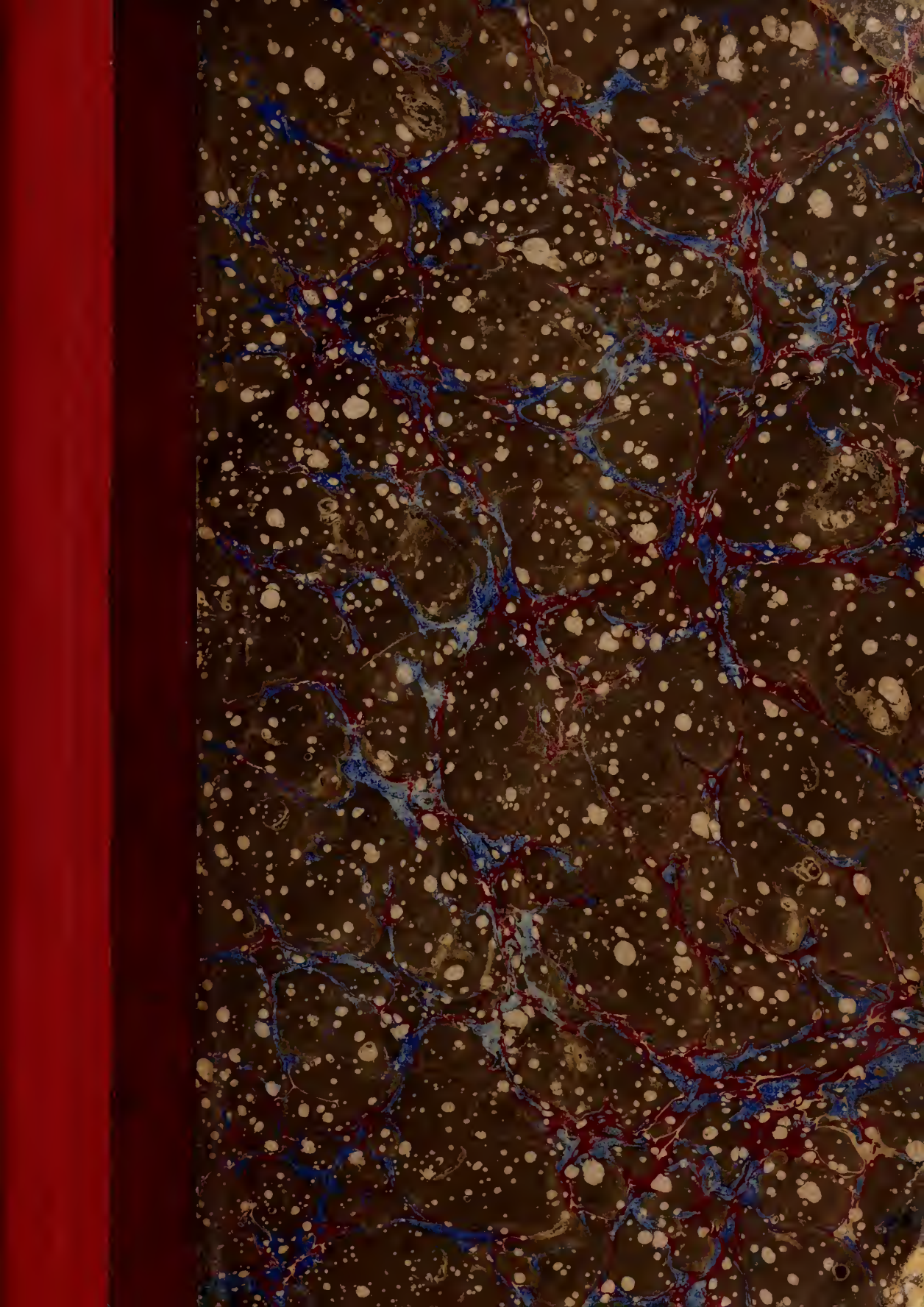

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FROM six of the sisterhood of Boards unstinted sympathy is offered to the seventh in its hour of trouble. Nor, we are sure, will sympathy spend itself in words alone. Deep is our thanksgiving that all officers and workers of the Occidental Board and all their helpless charges, so far as known, came through the earthquake and fire alive and uninjured.

OUR Occidental women have borne themselves magnificently in the disaster. If we were proud of them before, we are doubly so now. At ten o'clock on the morning of the earthquake, some half dozen of them were assembled at the Mission Home in San Francisco, arranging the removal of the Chinese girls. Amidst personal losses and with their churches laid low, they have since been carefully following up the ends of such business as pertains to the close of the fiscal year. From Mrs. C. S. Wright, the president, comes the undaunted message, *We expect to meet our pledges just as we have always done.* WOMAN'S WORK is allowed to glory a little specially in the Occidental member of its Committee. Mrs. Robbins had fled from a doomed house; it was easy to picture her prostrated. Not a bit of it! As is her always prompt habit, on the day it was due and not a mail behind, her monthly communication arrived in New York, unexcited, without exclamation points, as our readers may observe for themselves. It is not surprising that many people went insane in those days of consternation. We know that such calmness and strength, as have been given to our friends, belong only to those whose hearts have long rested on the Eternal God and who have long been saying, "Therefore will not we fear though the earth be removed."

FROM Mrs. Wright we learn that since the fire she had twice been able to get enough officers together for a quorum, but the first formal meeting of the Occidental Board would take the place of the Annual Meeting, which was postponed by earthquake, and it had been called for May 8. "I presume we shall feel very sad as we meet," she writes. "However, we are strong in faith and courage and are going right on with our work."

FOUR Presbyterian churches were destroyed in San Francisco: the fine old First, the Chinese and two small home mission churches.

IT is a pleasure to announce that the Committee in charge of WOMAN'S WORK, Mrs. Chas. Cuthbert Hall, chairman, was able to present a gift of $1,000 to the Assembly's Board of Foreign Missions, in April, from the surplus earnings of this magazine. The pleasure is the more keen because, by unanimous vote of all the Woman's Boards and Societies, this money is to be applied towards rebuilding the house for single women, which was destroyed at Lienchou, China, in the tragedy of last October.

THE home-coming of furloughed missionaries is often overshadowed by disappointment and death, so that a recent ideal return, as pictured by a veteran's pen, is delightful: "We are having a joyful time. All of my husband's four brothers, business men over forty, kissed their missionary brother (to say nothing of me) when they met him. They were all here last night and sang in parts the glory song. We are going to grandfather's this afternoon. All the food is nectar and ambrosia and all the service is that of ministering angels, to two people who sometimes during the long journey, felt rather forlorn."

A MISSIONARY in Lodiana, India, mentions the remarkable experience of

the postmaster there, a European, in connection with the earthquake which occurred in April, 1905. Some time before, the man's right arm had become totally paralyzed and hung helpless at his side. The earthquake threw down a tower and the falling masonry struck with a thud upon the roof of his house, waking himself, his wife and little boy, who were all asleep in the same room. His wife called to him to save their boy, which he at once proceeded to do. The paralyzed arm responded to his will to use it; they all escaped and the arm has ever since been capable of its usual efficiency.

THE earthquake in North India cracked the walls of Woodstock School in a hundred places, requiring Rs. 1000 to repair damages. By means of a Government grant of Rs. 50,000, a commodious hall was built last year and a gymnasium is now to be provided by adding to the hall.

"WE are on the verge of famine in this corner of Persia," wrote Rev. Robert Labaree last December. Later, Miss Lewis wrote that children in mission schools on the Plain were sent home because they were too hungry to study. A Moslem woman called, bringing a two-years child who was eating a crust of bread. She said the little one had seen another child eating this bread in the street and had so cried for it that it was given her, adding: "She cried all night long for bread and would not stop, but I beat her well for it." The loss of the raisin crop, a chief source of income, followed by failure of the wheat crop, are among the causes of this want, nor will the condition be materially remedied until the harvest of this summer is ripe.

THE Chinese physician at the head of the Government Medical College in Tientsin is an earnest Christian, and through his influence the great Viceroy, Yüan Shih Kai, has contributed $100 to Taylor Hospital, Paotingfu.

AT a village communion service in February, Rev. W. A. Mather of Paotingfu discoursed upon "eating and drinking unworthily," with the immediate result that two church members rose, confessed sin and abstained from communing that day.

OUR women doctors of North China Mission reasonably urge that four physicians be distributed among the three stations, in order that no hospital need be closed the year round.

A WOMAN missionary in Japan writes: "I would be grateful for a theological education out here, so that I might be more definite in my explanations to theorizing young men who are earnestly seeking the truth." Another, having been sixteen years in Japan, is studying at Hartford (Conn.) Theological Seminary, an institution of very high rank which, besides a three years' course, provides special courses for short periods. It would seem that the time is past when a woman should propose to teach Christianity to the Far East, without having first studied it herself.

IN the course of an eight weeks' itineration in Parana, Brazil, Rev. G. W. Landes received twenty-nine persons to the church and thirty-three more on a second trip. "Several officers of a military colony spoke well of our church people, who, before their conversion, were drunken, good-for-nothing fellows."

THE number of churches included under a "Station" in Mexico varies from one church in San Luis Potosi to ten churches in Zitacuaro field. The latter is under the care of Rev. W. E. Vanderbilt. Here was the largest ingathering of the year, 99 added to the church, and here are also the largest body of Protestant adherents and the largest Sunday-school membership. The communicants, 723, are outnumbered in only one Station, Jalapa and Tabasco, where 782 are enrolled. In Guerrero field, the wild mountain country, there are regular religious services held in 74 out-stations, or three times the number in any other Station of the mission.

THE Theological School at Coyoacan had fifty-four students last year, who, as usual, preached and carried on Sunday-schools in Mexico City, San Lorenzo, San Andres, Tizapan and other places; at San Pablo, twenty-one persons were received to the church; at San Salvador, ten. "Never before had we so many to send out to preach. If they are the right kind of men, they get a large part of their support from the congregations."

Our Missionaries in Latin America

AND POST OFFICE ADDRESSES. Send letters for Vera Cruz *via Laredo.*

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First Dispatch from San Francisco.

April 24, MRS. E. V. ROBBINS wrote: "Instead of a Report of Annual Meeting, I send the enclosed. I am safe in Berkeley, at a lovely home of sweet friends. San Francisco is a desolate city all between the Ferry and Van Ness Ave. I witnessed the burning of Chicago. That seemed enough for one lifetime."

"Annual Meeting will take place 18th, 19th and 20th of April, at 920 Sacramento St." So ran our notice in April issue. It would have been well to have said, *if Providence permits.* Providence did not permit, for on the morning of the 18th the awful crash came. It seemed like a sudden blow from a cannon ball against the house, each blow more severe—a few slight rumbles followed. Then it appeared that twenty fires were burning on business streets. Walls and roofs had fallen. The Palace Hotel and all the large, fine buildings followed close in the destruction. "It is the moneyed men that are suffering," was the report.

While the fires were creeping up toward us, Miss Cameron and the matron took the Chinese girls to the First Presbyterian Church on Van Ness Ave. The supper that was to have been given to our officers and delegates would feed the hungry girls. Dr. Kibbe, our physician, kindly took the very little ones home with her; one was but a month old. Our esteemed friend, Ng Poon Chew, took his five lovely children to a distant park. His competent wife gathered blankets and necessary clothing which she sent out for the family comfort. We know nothing more of their fortune. It was pitiful to see the seething mass of people, Chinese and all, with the little they could save, wandering to a place of safety. Blessings on President Roosevelt for his order to help the Chinese as well as others, through the Red Cross Society.

The fire could not be checked even with dynamite. Explosions were heard two days and nights. The Chinese girls were again removed, this time to the Presbyterian orphanage and farm at San Anselmo.

San Francisco will rise rapidly out of this desolation and headquarters for the Occidental Board must be provided, for 920 Sacramento St. was burned down. New England arose from the Puritan end of the line; Old San Francisco from the opposite. We can see in the process of leveling the mountains and filling the valleys that much of hay, wood and stubble needed to be burned. We hope New San Francisco will be wisely rebuilt and the hand of the All-wise Father will guide it in His own way.

Pauline F. Robbins.

2629 Piedmont Ave., Berkeley.

Two mission churches for Chinese and Japanese in San Francisco, and 650 communicants, of whom 70 were added in 1905.

The Occidental Board After Earthquake and Fire.

It was fifteen minutes past five on Wednesday morning, April 18, that our houses and our nerves were severely shaken. As the noise of falling bricks and the crash of plaster and bric-à-brac increased, many were almost panic-stricken. Within ten minutes after the trembling ceased, from our home on Nob Hill we discovered several fires which started in the southern and eastern part of the city, and within a few hours the earthquake sank into insignificance in comparison with the terrible flames that were raging in different sections of San Francisco. The sight was grand and awful, as we watched it all day and all night; sometimes approaching, then checked, then breaking out again and coming nearer. Finally on Thursday, about noon, it came rushing and roaring up Nob Hill like an angry monster, lapping up those beautiful mansions as if they were dainty morsels. When the fire was within two blocks of us both on the south and east sides, an old house directly in the rear of our home burst into flames and we had to flee for our lives.

Imagine if you can a city of 500,000 inhabitants without gas, or electricity, or fires for cooking (as every chimney was shaken by the earthquake), without water or sewerage, without food, and two-thirds of the people without shelter. The situation was appalling. Every one whose home was spared has filled it with homeless friends and all are cooking, as best they can, on brick ovens on the street. People who had beautiful homes have had to stand in line for their daily portion of bread and milk. But every one is wonderfully courageous. I have not heard a single note of repining. As people meet on the street and grasp each other by the hand, with tears in their eyes they say, "Thank God we are alive!" and in the next breath, "How soon will you begin to build? Where have you opened your office?" Those having a home, open an office in the house.

Many members of the Occidental Board suffered through the fire. Seven of the officers were burned out; also six members who were chairmen of committees. Some of these good women saved their clothing and some lost everything. Those of our Board whose homes were saved are doing heroic work. Their houses are filled with people less fortunate, and they are enduring great privations through lack of water and facilities for cooking.

Our attractive Mission House is completely destroyed and Miss Cameron, our superintendent; Miss Ferree, the matron; Miss Myers, the field secretary, and our entire family of forty Chinese and Japanese girls are nearly destitute. At the time of the earthquake the girls were dreadfully frightened and rushed to their teachers, but there was no panic. Afterwards they were told to dress and go down to the chapel. In a very short time they were there, each little girl in charge of an older one. After prayers they went to the dining-room and ate a breakfast of bread and apples, for no rice could be cooked that morning. By noon Miss Cameron was very anxious because many Chinese highbinders were around the house watching for a chance to kidnap girls. Fire or another shake would give them the opportunity. So we marshaled our forces and marched them over the hill together to the First Presbyterian Church on Van Ness Ave. They took a few clothes with them and some comforters, and there they stayed Wednesday night.

At 6 o'clock Thursday morning, as the fire was advancing upon their refuge, the girls were taken across the Bay to San Anselmo. There a barn was secured for their use and the ladies of San Anselmo and San Rafael did all they could for them. We have fourteen children under ten years of age, and as they had to walk four miles in making a detour to get around the fire to the ferry, the children could carry very little with them. Yet every child was expected to take something; even little Hung Mooie, three and one-half years old, had to carry a package of eggs that some one had given them. Hung Mooie is a sunny little thing and always seems to think that life is a huge joke, but even she could see no joke that morning in a four-mile walk without breakfast. The barn that they secured at San Anselmo was draughty and cold, and when it rained the whole family was very uncomfortable.

In less than five days the highbinders had discovered their retreat and they were no longer safe, so a house was found in San Rafael where they could have police protection. A cooking stove has been provided, and some furniture which is very old and worn but, under the circumstances, is very useful. Food has been furnished by the Relief Committee, and San Rafael people have given them comforters and some clothing. The latter, of course, is second-hand and will not last long, so that we must at once face the problem of shoes, clothing, sheets, and everything else for a family of forty girls whose ages range from twenty years to two months. Miss Cameron and Miss Ferree were so occupied caring for their large family that they saved only the clothes they had on. Miss Myers was assisting three helpless invalids in the neighborhood off to the Hospital and, as she started to go for some of her clothing, two injured firemen were brought to her. When she had bound up their wounds and seen them placed in an ambulance it was too late to save anything. Nothing was saved from the Mission House. The records and literature of the Occidental Board, the furniture, everything is gone; only a part of the walls are left standing. Three or four hundred dollars would have covered all the injury done by the earthquake, but the fire completed the ruin. The lot on which the house stood cost eight thousand dollars, the house itself about eighteen thousand, and furniture one thousand, a total of twenty-seven thousand ($27,000) dollars, but we cannot duplicate our property for that, as labor and materials are much higher now.

Donations for rebuilding our Mission Home should be sent to the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, 156 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. Donations of furniture, sheets, pillow slips, etc., or money for these things, should be sent to Miss Donaldina Cameron, San Rafael, California.

(*Mrs. C. S.*) *Emma G. Wright.*

Surrounded by the Burlesque of Religion.

Opportunities to witness and work for Christ in Guatemala were never so abundant as now. The President has proclaimed absolute religious liberty and has fully demonstrated that he means to punish any violation of this law. We hear daily of those who are turning in disgust from the meaningless forms and ceremonials of the Roman Church. Now is the time to preach, teach and live the pure gospel, as never before, or the people will turn to infidelity. Our force and equipment are so meagre that often we are tempted to feel as though we could do little or nothing, but, thank God, we know that if we rely on His Word, the promise and oath of our God, we are sure to succeed. There can be no such thing as failure.

Holy Week is just over. Images of Christ, the Virgin, and the saints have been carried through the streets in what are called "religious" processions. If you have never visited a country where the Roman Church has had full power for centuries, you have no idea of the remarkable and, at times, grotesque commingling of the doctrines of Romanism with such forms and practices as have proved attractive to the people and held their allegiance. It made my heart ache to see the women last week following the image of the Virgin Mary about the streets, mumbling prayers and burning candles before it. The Mother of Jesus receives most of the attention of the people. Read the book called *The Glories of Mary* and you will understand why such a prominent

DAY BEFORE EASTER, MEXICO CITY.

Hanging effigies of Judas for sale. Saturday they are fired. Being decorated with firecrackers and bombs, the Judases "burst asunder" in orthodox style.

Photographed by R. A. Brown.

place is given to her. On page 69 you will find these words: "Mary is the only hope of sinners." The following is a translation of a notice which appeared during the week before a big church *fiesta:*

GUATEMALAN GIRL CARRYING LUMBER for Mr. Allison's House.

Great fair at the Church of Mercy! Glory to God in the highest and to the Virgin of Mercy. Peace on earth to all who contribute to the fair. Everybody come and have a good time and see what you draw, besides the favor of the Virgin of Mercy reserved for you in Heaven.

Could there be a greater burlesque on the Word of God?

One day, sitting opposite me in the mule car, was a woman of the middle class. She was telling a friend who sat next her about an experience which she had the night before while watching a display of fireworks in the park. There was an accident and her dress was badly burned, but she received no harm personally. Her friend exclaimed, "How lucky!" The woman replied, "Why, nothing could happen to me, for I stopped at the cathedral on my way to the park and put myself in the care of the Virgin and burned two candles to her."

May the day soon come when such wrong teaching will be counteracted by the knowledge of the all-sufficient Saviour!

Of late we have passed through a great trial. Some of our most promising members and workers have fallen into the common sin of the country—immorality. At first we cried out, "Oh, Lord, this is too much!" but His gracious answer came: "My strength is sufficient for thee." We have proved him and He is true to His promise. Pray for us, that all may work together for good, to us and to the cause of Christ here.

When I see the women staggering along the street with such burdens on their heads as the girl is bearing in my picture, I wonder what burdens of sin they are carrying in their hearts, all because they do not know of full and free salvation through the risen Christ.

(*Mrs. Wm. B.*) *Corinna H. Allison.*

RESUMÉ OF MISSIONS IN SOUTH AMERICA.—The first permanently established was *Colombia,* 1856. As a rule, short terms of service characterize its history; the founder himself, H. B. Pratt, remained only four years. On the other hand, T. F. Wallace spent thirteen years here before his transfer to Mexico, and T. H. Candor breaks all records, having gone out in 1882. For more than thirty years Bogotá was the only station. A man from 300 miles north, who talked with Pratt and received a Bible from him, never had a chance to attend Protestant service for twenty years. Barranquilla was opened '88, Medellin '89, Caracas in Venezuela '97. Two Colombian churches are reported and 184 members. *Brazil Mission* was planted by Simonton, a great missionary, 1859. First preaching service in Portuguese was held with closed doors in a third-story room on a central street of Rio de Janeiro; two Brazilians were present, and by the third meeting there were seven. Church organized '62. The mission extended over the States of San Paulo, Sergipe, Bahia, Parana and Santa Catherina. Interesting Christian history was developed at many places which are no longer under care of mission, as Brotas and Botucatu. Among strong men who did this work were Blackford, Howell, Lenington and, especially, Geo. W. Chamberlain, (thirty-six years,) a gallant pioneer. *Chili Mission* was a legacy from the Am. and For. Christian Union, 1873. It comprised four stations and less than one hundred church members. There are now the same number of stations and fourteen churches, having a membership of 690, of whom 153 were added last year.

MEXICO MISSION.	*Ordained Missionaries.*	*Layman.*	*Women.*	*Native Force.*	*Churches.*	*Communicants.*	*Added in the Year.*	*Pupils in Schools.*
1904	9	1	13	100	50	4,778	348	1,495
1905	9	1	12	101	50	5,014	378	1,345

WEDDING FESTIVITIES IN THE SCHOOL YARD, SALTILLO, MEXICO.
The bride is one of the Normal School girls.
Photograph kindly sent by Mrs. Wm. Wallace.

Four Schools for Girls—Reports, 1905.

MEXICO CITY—*Miss Browning* and *Miss McDermid* in charge.

Thirty-eight pupils in Normal Department, twenty-two in Primary.

"Five united with the church during the year, leaving but two in school who are not professing Christians. Ten young women were graduated in November, one being a former pupil whose father was compelled to take her from us to finish her course at a State Normal School. After receiving the government diploma, she took some examinations here and received our diploma, also, with her class. Six of the ten graduates have their appointed work for this year, and one is studying in the United States." Income from pupils was not quite $700 (Mexican). Tuition was paid at the rate of $15 monthly for ten girls from Zitacuaro district; $21 for seven from Yucatan and the Federal district; $6 for three from Vera Cruz; $6 for eight from Guerrero; $28 for six from the City and State of Mexico. Four Mexican teachers were employed.

The Primary Department is in line with the government school system, but not so the Normal. Its diploma is not recognized by the government. In order to improve the standing of the school, and by advice of the present Minister of Public Instruction, the fifth and sixth year classes have been set off as the Primary Superior, and their course made to conform with that of State schools. This change required new text-books and the introduction of French and music. At the end of the year, only one girl failed to pass the Inspector's examination, in every study.

The sewing class realized about $70 from sales, of which $30 is devoted to the school library and the rest divided between the pastor's salary, a new chapel and the Mexican Home Missionary Society. A beautiful piano, the gift of ladies of Philadelphia Presbytery, "marked this as a red-letter year" to the music-loving people.

SALTILLO, MEXICO. Fifteenth year—*Miss Wheeler* in charge.

Boarding pupils 66, day pupils 12, primary grade 45; total 123.

Thirty-eight per cent. of school expenses was covered by tuition; "only seven girls were accepted without paying something." Total amount received was $3,058.93. Five Mexican teachers are on the staff, one of whom, Miss Severa Euresti, was one of the first graduates and has assisted the school ten years. She is also much depended on in the Church and Christian Endeavor Society and is the main support of her mother and six sisters.

Fifty-three pupils are church mem-

bers. [Five more united in April, 1906, since the Report was written.—EDITOR.] Rev. Wm. Wallace presented diplomas to seven graduates at their Commencement last November. The always good singing at Saltillo was much improved by the help of a new piano sent by ladies of Neenah, Wisconsin. In connection with this occasion, an Alumnæ Reunion was held. The graduate list now numbers seventy-one. Three have died, four are unemployed, twenty-eight are married, one is in training to be a nurse. Thirty-four are teaching schools of our own and other missions and in public schools. "Most of them are in small towns and villages, where they help in Sunday-school and church. In the town of General Cepeda, this State, four of our graduates are teaching public schools. In another village, two are teaching the only girls' schools. In a town in Yucatan, one graduate teaches our church school and another the public school for girls, and the two teachers help each other in many ways. While our diploma is given no official recognition, our graduates can at any time find employment in State schools, and without taking examinations."

INDIAN WOMEN IN PLAZA OF CHOLULA, MEXICO.
A little village famous for ruins. They did not fancy standing before Mr. Brown's camera.

The cost of heating a large school building is so great in Mexico that the long vacation is appointed for the coldest months. The school reopened Feb. 14, 1906, and so great was the fear of losing their places that nearly all the girls were back on the 12th and 13th. "We have now seventy boarders, and do not think there is a place for another bed.

"Miss Garrett of Seattle, Washington, is with the school as teacher for 1906, and we are looking forward eagerly to the coming in July of an appointed missionary to fill the place left vacant by Miss Edna Johnson, who was in the school many years, a beloved teacher and companion."

BOGOTÁ, COLOMBIA, S. A.—*Mrs. Candor* in charge.

Four departments; total pupils 160.

"The special attractions offered were music lessons on piano and stringed instruments, English, singing lessons, sewing, dressmaking and calisthenics.

"Miss Freeman proved a very efficient helper. She took entire charge of the Kindergarten and trained a young woman who will be able to carry it on alone this year. She taught the infant

SHRINE IN A CAVE ON SACRA MONTE AT THE FOOT OF POPOCATEPETL

Image of a monk who lived in the cave lies in the glass case. Miracles said to be wrought here. Mr. Brown, who took the photograph, says: "The exposure had to be about ten minutes long, during which time several persons came in and knelt in prayer."

class in Sabbath-school, visited their parents and invited them to services. Before she had been here a year she gave an excellent talk in Spanish. She made herself the constant companion of our boarding pupils. They felt free to go to her at any time to have a hat trimmed or a dress cut out, or to ask for a remedy. She was usually surrounded by a merry group who kept her practicing Spanish for their amusement and benefit. Sunday afternoons and at other times she had earnest talks with the girls and came to know their character and beliefs thoroughly. She had the joy of seeing two, for whom she had worked especially, unite with our church. A sum of money was gathered into the treasury as a result of several English classes which Miss Freeman taught in private families. Another result was that she made friends with some of the best people of Bogotá.

"Religious instruction was given in all departments of the school and eight young girls united with the church. The Primary Class gave a lengthy exhibition of their teacher's efforts on closing day, by reciting Psalms and Bible verses in chorus. Hymns were memorized, which they love to sing. A Scripture Catechism was taught in the Intermediate, Shorter Catechism and regular Bible lessons in the highest department. Christian Endeavor meetings were well attended by the pupils—sometimes there was not comfortable seating room. Towards the close of the year we tried dividing the audience into three classes, using separate rooms, where more personal work could be done.

"The problem of inviting all the parents to mid-year examinations had to be met. We had no room in the school large enough, and concluded to try an entertainment in the church, which would comfortably seat pupils and parents and perhaps overcome the prejudice many feel against that place. A programme was prepared, consisting of music, recitations and magic-lantern views of the most important events in our Saviour's life, with a short sermon interspersed. The church was crowded, and after the exercises parents pressed forward to express their great pleasure and we felt that God had blessed the effort to bring the Colombians into His house."

CURITYBA, BRAZIL — Day School. Thirteenth year—*Miss Kuhl* and *Miss Dascomb* in charge.

Three departments; pupils 203; girls 97, boys 106.*

"The Primary School is one of the happiest places in Curityba. Some of the mothers say the children rise at 6 o'clock and beg to be allowed to go to school. Most of them come without breakfast; they take a cup of black coffee and a piece of bread before leaving home, and breakfast is sent to them at noon. Our little children, in whose veins runs the blood of many nations, are very bright. They master Portuguese in a short time. It is interesting to hear the many-syllabled words roll out smoothly from infant mouths. They are taught hymns and charming kindergarten songs in Portuguese, French, English and German, for Brazilians are very musical. Many children of our first pupils are entering the Primary School.

"Intermediate classes occupy three rooms. They are taught arithmetic, geography, history of Brazil, French and English, oral lessons in natural history and to read music. The handiwork is for boys' drawing and for girls' sewing. Many German families send their children to learn Portuguese. Most of them are Protestants. It is a pleasure to visit the rooms and see the neat blackboard work, the student-like air of the pupils, and to find what good work they have already done in mathematics and language. Brazilians have an especial gift for languages.

"In the Secondary School, under Miss Dascomb, final examinations were higher in average than usual. English is becoming more and more popular. Shakespeare and Longfellow are text-books in the higher grades. In mathematics we see a great improvement all along the line; even mental arithmetic is becoming popular, and much-dreaded algebra has lost its terrors. Our boys are waking up on football. Formerly it was almost impossible to induce them to play. Miss Dascomb said they stood around like wet hens; now they kick the ball like their brother Americans of the North. In the eight classes of the school the

* This school is exceptional in receiving boys with girls.

Bible is diligently taught. It is one of the most popular lessons.

"A Junior S. C. E. has forty members. Many children who never before had the Bible in their homes are reading it now and are even leading the meetings. One boy who had a record for insubordination and disobedience at home has become a model of conduct in school. The first time he led a meeting, he came and said, "Will you write me a little prayer, for I do not know how to pray?"

Items from Chili Mission.

Instituto Ingles.—The best school on the west coast is the English Institute at Santiago, in charge of W. E. Browning, Ph.D. Five young men from the United States, under an engagement of five years, assist as teachers. Mrs. Browning's motherly ministry is much appreciated, especially by the younger, and perhaps homesick, "boys in knee-pants."

Last year the Institute enrolled 294 young men and boys, "as fine a class of students as could be found in the republic." After paying all running expenses (except the principal's salary) the sum of $1,000 (gold) was turned into the funds of the mission.

A complete Bible, or at least a portion, was presented to each of the 125 boarding pupils, among whom were nineteen young Bolivians. We may follow some of these Bibles by means of a paragraph from Dr. Browning's report:

"Many Bibles have gone to Bolivia during the past year and entered the best homes of that republic, where it is exceedingly difficult to sell even good books and where the Bible is practically prohibited. A few years ago the ladies of Cochabamba, Bolivia, almost burned a colporteur who was selling Bibles in that very fanatical city; this year at least a half dozen of these same families have received the Bible from their sons, who are students in the *Instituto Ingles*. Those same sons have had a thorough course in Bible study, have attended all religious services at the Institute and, in some cases, many church services."

Evangelistic Effort in Santiago.—We meet to the number of fifteen to twenty members on Mondays in a room near the Roman Catholic cemetery, but neither in this place nor on Maestranza street have we gathered any fruit, but insults, obscene language, stones, etc. It is too disheartening. Hunger and thirst for pardon and for Christ do not exist. Our task consists in inspiring this necessity by the help of God and our testimony. What the people want is cheap meat, demijohns of hard cider and the ardent pleasures of the flesh.—*Report* from *Pastor Diez.*

Church at Concepcion.—"When we come to the report of Concepcion church there is reason for joy. At the beginning of the year there were a number of members who thought they had been wronged by the acts of some other member, and these had brought a coldness into the church, which was a great hindrance. So, the beginning was to remove those sore spots from the body of the church and thus make it possible to do the task. From the time that this was accomplished, there was such an increase in attendance that it was thought necessary to enlarge the building, which is on our property in front of the theatre, and to obtain another room more commodious in Las Rosas Street. This latter place of meeting was a little distance from a corner on which was a liquor saloon, but the owner became interested and was finally converted and, as a sure sign of his change of life, he closed his saloon and offered it to the church as a place in which to preach the gospel, and the sign was changed from *Despacho* to *Sala Evanjelica* in letters almost two feet high. From the time the change was made, September, the room, which will accommodate about 150 people, has been full at almost every service. That region is the center of the artisan class.

There has been formed a band of young Christians in Concepcion church who are preaching the gospel on their own account. About fifteen go every Sunday to some of the stations on the R. R. between Concepcion and San Rosendo, and there has been a great interest aroused among the workmen in a large saw-mill. These Christians are

the same ones that do the great part of the visiting in the city and are untiring in their efforts to bring new people to church and to look up the old ones who do not attend with sufficient punctuality. In all, we can say that the work in Concepcion is going on very well and souls are being saved. — From *Report* by *Rev. Jesse S. Smith.*

Valparaiso.—Among Christian agencies are the Woman's League, Workers' Training Class and church choir. Of the latter, their leader says: "It was not productive of much harmony musically, but thirteen joined the church."

Progress Visible to the Naked Eye in Africa.

[Miss Mackenzie having gone from Lolodorf in the Interior to attend Annual Meeting of the Africa Mission at the coast, last December, she sent the following account in a private letter.—EDITOR.]

I write you this from Libreville on Gaboon River in the Congo Francais, rather, I write from Baraka, the mission station among the Mpongwé people. Very charming it is at this station—the old house among the old trees looking out upon the river and beyond this to the sunset. And very encouraging it is to a missionary from a young station to see these Mpongwé Christians, the fruit of half a century of missionary labor, having come to be a people of pleasant and orderly life, living in their gray bamboo houses after no mean fashion, with books upon their shelves and clean linen upon their beds. Some of the houses are papered and some have cement floors; in some there are pictures of miscellaneous royalty upon the walls, and fading photographs of the family when they were bride and groom; in the little gardens, flowers run from the sea wind. Of a Sunday the church is filled with a decent congregation who have come up to the house of God with pleasure and with pride, dressed I suspect with a good deal of conscious vanity, and observing solemn rules of conduct with great good cheer and complacency. Do not despise this joy in form and order. The house, after having been swept, is furnished after a new fashion that passeth not away, and how shall the owner conceal his delight? I call at the houses of the Christians and go about to the village prayer-meetings, just for the pleasure of seeing these comely Mpongwé women move about in their enriched circumstances, themselves enriched in mind and heart and spirit beyond all counting. To me—the windows open to the river, the great white beds under their white curtains and covers of red and white appliqué, the table dressed with a white cloth where the wife eats with the husband—all these are pledges of hope for the poor Bulu woman, for the Ngumba woman, for the little Dwarf woman in the hidden places of the forest, and for the Fan woman who lives on the water-ways back of us, as the dweller in Third Avenue lives back of the dwelling in Fourth.

Baraka has its potent past. One may not forget the women of long ago who were busy at its inception—in hoops, with curls back of their ears or smooth hair drawn over them. Some of these are long dead, some of them are in America, some are still among us—these last so much a part of our present that we hardly associate them with a past of so quaint an aspect. But the past survives intact in the memory of the old Mpongwé women. "Mrs. Walker was very kind," says one, in that soft English which she learned of Mrs. Walker in her youth; "she was tender-hearted. When the work was badly done she would say to us little girls, 'Child, child, sit down!' and we liked that. Mrs. Bushnell was kind, too—ah, Mrs. Bushnell! And when the work was badly done we must always do it again for Mrs. Bushnell. When we grew older we knew that she was right. Mrs. Bushnell taught us to work." And Sarah, ironing Miss Nassau's dress while she talks to me, dreams over the days when Miss Nassau was a young woman on Corisco Island. On this account, we sit still for a little; the sound of the tide comes in at the open door and the flowers in the little garden run from the sea wind. Everywhere in the open is the exceeding brightness of day, and I think of how, in America, God has laid a hand upon Mrs. Bushnell's eyes.

There are saints among the Mpongwé. I feel the quaintness of this word and its difficulty. But there is a sort of woman for whom it is just a common term—gentle old women who have befriended their kind, who have smiled so long out of their kind eyes that there is a perpetual glimmer of smile in the ultimate dimness, who have moved so softly about the sick and dying that they come down the village street in their bare brown feet, as still as evening air. In the gardens of their minds, righteousness and peace grow together, with many homely healing herbs for the wounded of their kind. Some such I have seen in the villages about Baraka, which is pretty much of a heavenly vision to the eyes of a missionary from Ngumba.

Jean Kenyon Mackenzie.

Beginnings of a Newcomer to Colombia.

We sailed Aug. 5, 1905, for Medellin. It was a slow, tedious trip, but I enjoyed every minute of it. After a sea voyage of ten days we arrived in port, took a train for Barranquilla, and were well taken care of by our dear missionaries there. We had to stay nearly three weeks, before our freight could be gotten out of the custom house. From Barranquilla we took the river boat for a distance of 400–500 miles. It was the worst season for the trip; the water was very low and we moved like a snail up the river. We had to stop twice a day and unload freight to make the boat lighter, and it was intensely hot so that I got the river fever. After our boat journey of ten days, we went by rail thirty miles and then began a ninety miles' journey muleback. What I enjoyed most of all was reaching Medellin at last and sleeping once more in a good bed. We are over 6,000 feet high, so we do not get the extreme heat of Barranquilla. Our days are like lovely June. I like the way that homes are built around a court, and we have the out-of-door life which people at home so often long for.

You know the difficulty in working in Roman Catholic countries. We are treated very well by the most fanatical, as friends—but our religion! The priests call us "devils" and declare our souls forever lost. We find the men more liberal than the women. No marriage save the Roman Catholic is considered legal. There is a civil law, but one has to pay so much to avoid the confessional that it is seldom used. Last week was celebrated the birthday of the Virgin Mary. They started with shouting and fireworks, band concert and noise, and continued every hour from 4 A. M. till 8 P. M. An elaborate image of Mary in a Parisian gown of purple velvet (for the people here dress beautifully) was carried through the street to the cathedral. Women go to church here three times a day every day in the week, and if the people were as good in their hearts as their church-going signifies, they should be a wonderfully moral and religious race. They go to church for a fashionable *tête-a-tête.*

My husband spoke Spanish before coming here and now preaches regularly. All the help I am is in playing the organ for services. Mr. Meeker found that young men were anxious to learn English, and offered instruction in English free with the Bible as text-book. Many are fingering it for the first time, as it is a forbidden book. He has a splendid class of young men. My strongest impression is the bondage in which the Roman Church has kept these people. They are not allowed religious freedom. All must side with the government party in power or be in danger of exile. Put Colombia in your heart, and let us unite in one common prayer that the seed which missionaries are sowing here may yield an abundance and many souls be brought to the light through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

(*Mrs. W. C.*) *Genevieve S. Meeker.*

REPORTING for Southern Brazil, Miss Dascomb says: "We lament that most of the church members in the interior have had no training in any industry. They live off the soil, but know nothing about proper farming; have no gardens or fruit trees worth mentioning. They waste about two-thirds of their time in idleness. Until we have an Industrial School we cannot expect to build up self-supporting churches in Parana."

LETTERS FROM MISSIONARIES

COLOMBIA.

MRS. TOUZEAU wrote from MEDELLIN, January 16:

I can hardly realize that it is seven months since we came back. It is like a dream that we were at home at all, for it seems so natural to be among these people and working for them. We are almost Colombians ourselves. You know it is now

GOING ON TWENTY YEARS

since we first came to this country. We arrived Friday evening, tired from a ride of four days over the mountains. Saturday morning we came into our home, from which the family who had been living in it had moved out. It looked pretty to us after having spent so long time on the way and sleeping in such dirty houses as one finds on the mountain. Sunday morning Mr. Touzeau began regular services again, and they have been kept up ever since. We had so many friends come to see us during the first weeks that we were almost tired out, though delighted to see them all. We reopened the school, and, next, the new missionaries arrived. That was a very happy time for us all. We met them thirty miles out from the city, so they were able to come over the last part of the road in a (not very good) carriage. Mr. and Mrs. Meeker have been with us now almost four months and have been very contented. They were delighted with everything and have had the best of health. Mr. Meeker had lived some time in New Mexico and knows some Spanish, so that he has been able to help from the first. We had a large class of young men waiting for him. Some of these boys are

ALMOST AS OLD AS THEIR TEACHER.

Meetings have been well attended since our return. At last communion we received a member of my Sunday-school class into the church. This lady has been attending for years and has been most faithful, but her husband did not wish her to become a member. I was glad and thankful to see her come out

AND CONFESS CHRIST AT LAST.

So far we have not lost one member except by death; all have been faithful. I taught the children a beautiful Christmas cantata, which we had seen while at home. Our large hall was crowded for the entertainment and all showed great pleasure in hearing and seeing the children. Come to Colombia. You will see

A MOST BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY.

We are having just now the warmest time of the year. Mr. Touzeau is to go off on one of his journeys, taking the gospel to other towns in this State.

MEXICO.

MRS. WM. WALLACE wrote from SALTILLO April 5:

It does not seem now as if we could ever find any one man or even two men to fill Rev. Hubert Brown's place. He always did the work of two or three ordinary men, but the quality of his work was anything but ordinary.

Our pastor at Saltillo has resigned and gone to Mexico City. He said he could not live on his salary; was getting deeper and deeper into debt and would have to go where he could make a better living. The

COST OF LIVING IS GOING UP

in Mexico all the time, and our Mexican pastors' salaries are not going up proportionally. Most of them have large families, and we do not like to see them in rags.

There is music on the plaza to-night. I hear it now and would like to go down and listen awhile, for it is the Seventh Regiment band, one of the best. Last week festivities were held in honor of the Juarez Centennial. The city was decorated with red, white and green, a statue was erected with neck too short and arms too long, according to a young critic, and everybody sallied forth in Sunday clothes to do homage to the hero of the Reform.

ONE OF THE PRETTIEST SIGHTS

was the school children. Hundreds of them marched to the Alameda, boys in blue uniforms and girls in white dresses with various colored ribbons, each school wearing its own color. The girls of our school took their part in the singing and one of them eulogized Juarez; we could not get near enough to hear a word she said. The National Hymn, which in itself is grand, was sung by those hundreds of children and young people with band accompaniment, and it was glorious. I always feel like a born Mexican when I hear it.

Mr. Rodriguez, the Monterey pastor, spent last Sunday with us. He has

SEVEN CHILDREN TO BUY SHOES FOR,

bright as can be, all well trained and as neat as new pins, which speaks volumes for their mother. Mr. Rodriguez preached the evening sermon. It was communion service and seven

young people united with the church. An early morning (6.30) prayer-meeting was held and about sixty were present.

CHINA.

SLAVES TO OPIUM RECLAIMED.

DR. ELIZA LEONARD wrote from PEKING:

I am having a number of opium-habit cases this year. There is much discussion of the evils of opium in the Chinese papers and a proposition that all takers of opium be registered, the younger people to be denied the privilege of purchasing it and the older people not allowed to increase the amount. Some of the smokers are taking time by the forelock and breaking off before registration is demanded. Two of my recent patients seem much interested in the truth. One woman came to me first as a poisoning case, having taken opium, arsenic and mercury after a quarrel with a man who posed as her husband. She said she wanted to break the habit, and after a week or two, during which time she had treatment for mercurial stomatitis, she came in for the cure. She had shown considerable interest in the gospel story in the meantime, and had bought several books and made remarkable progress in reading and understanding them. While here she

CONFESSED HER SIN WITH DEEP SHAME

and showed a desire to turn from it. Her faith and strength increased, as days went by, and when it was time for her to go out she asked if she might not stay here and care for a sister of the before-mentioned man. This woman was also an opium smoker with a baby about a month old, and so would need special care. I was very glad to have the first woman stop with us longer and, before the second cure was complete, she was ready to forsake the old life. She has the making of an efficient woman in her. Another was attracted by the truth while here, and said she was going home to tear down her idols. The Bible woman was invited to see that the deed was actually done. The woman tore the idol to shreds in Mrs. Lien's presence, and invited in a number of her neighbors before whom she gave a good testimony and to whom Mrs. Lien had an excellent opportunity to preach. The woman says, "Why should I be ashamed to testify?

HAVE I NOT TURNED FROM THE FALSE TO THE TRUE?"

Have you heard of *The Peking Woman's Daily?* It has some excellent things in it. We decided to use it as a drawing card, so announced that it would be read on a certain day. Our women select the best articles and read and explain, to the manifest interest of a good audience. It is perfectly remarkable what an amount of work is being done in this city for the advancement of Chinese women. It would be difficult to say how

MANY SCHOOLS ARE NOW OPEN TO WOMEN

and girls, schools even for women of royal blood where simple dress and obedience to rules are demanded; schools where a Chinese princess makes a courtesy to a Japanese woman teacher. It is a matter of concern to some of us, too, how many of these doors are being entered by Japanese. We crave them for the Christian Church, but we have not the workers, so dare not court the work. We fear there is a day of regret coming.

PERSIA.

MRS. WM. SHEDD wrote from URUMIA, Jan. 13:

We are having our share of the troubles that overwhelm our neighbor, Russia. The mails are very irregular; some things, no doubt, will never reach us. Prices continue to rise; sugar, for instance, is two-and-a-half times higher than when we came back from America. Laborers who usually go to Russia to work have not been able to go, and those who are there cannot send to their families here, and those in America who are accustomed to send money home cannot be heard from. The orphanage, of which Mr. Shedd is a trustee, is stranded high and dry; the children ragged and barefooted and provisions exhausted. [Expected funds arrived ten days after these lines were penned.—ED.]

In spite of these things that make our hearts ache, there is much to encourage us in the spiritual condition of the churches. During the Week of Prayer attendance at services was remarkably good and such a solemn spirit of prayer prevails that we are

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in churches that have been cold, as well as the bringing of outsiders into the fold. I make many calls, finding doors very open. Can you imagine how wonderful it seems to us to find a family who tell of sitting down together in the evening while the son and daughter, pupils in our schools, read from *Pilgrim's Progress?* A Moslem mother told me her son was eager to get off to school on time, so as to be there for the opening prayer. He had also told his father about the talks Mr. Shedd is giving on the effects of alcoholic drinks. . . .

HOME DEPARTMENT

WOMAN'S BOARDS IN ANNUAL MEETING.

At Harrisburg, Pa., April 24-26, Biennial Assembly of Philadelphia Society.

"*I—a prayer,*"—was this the keynote of those radiant days? On the first evening the message came. Market Square Church has an interior of rare dignity and simplicity, but it has also generous proportions, yet at that opening service the church was filled. The leader, Mrs. Fitch of China, asked us to omit the italicized words from Psa. cix:4,—"*I gave myself unto prayer,*"—leaving the original,—"*I—a prayer,*"—suggesting the habit of constant intercession. The brightness of the leader's face had been caught from intercession, and it wooed us to like communion. The next morning the loved voice of Mrs. Turner lifted us into our Father's presence; each missionary, each secretary, bespoke intercession; the conferences, as well as the hours of devotion, were calls to prayer.

What picture is uppermost in our memory?—Is it that line of eleven missionaries,—each with her urgent message? Is it the gracious company of women who constitute the Board? The throng and press of the popular meeting, whose overflow filled the lecture room? The quiet river front, where, across the water, peace brooded among the hills? Or is it that glad host of children, nearly 900 strong? The background for all the pictures is the charming hospitality of the Harrisburg ladies, unobtrusive, thoughtful for our comfort in every detail.

The president, Mrs. Thorpe, held the helm in masterly fashion. She was prompt and business-like, graceful and eloquent, while her inimitable flashes of humor were a constant joy. Every delegate sang her praises. The programme was marked by logical order and variety. Each report on the foreign field was followed by an address on the same country. Following the report of the Home Secretary came Mrs. Wallace Radcliffe's felicitous exposure of *Ruts*. The Treasurer's report opening with the dedication,—"Of thine own have we given Thee," was so rendered by Mrs. Weitzel that dry figures became an offertory anthem. Total receipts for the year, $174,447.31; last year, $177,424.24; decrease, $2,977.45. The decrease was principally in legacies. The announcement of the resignation of Mrs. William Watters and Mrs. J. R. Miller was received with affectionate regret. Mrs. Watters has endeared herself throughout all our territory by fifteen years of service as Presbyterial Secretary. Mrs. Miller has served a like term as Recording Secretary.

A recent conference with the Assembly's Board has resulted in the decision that the support of stations or shares in stations shall take the place of scholarships as special objects. During the year WOMAN'S WORK has gained over 1,000 subscriptions. Advance was also reported in *Over Sea and Land*, and delegates were earnestly requested to see to it that in each local church some one person be appointed to secure subscriptions from each family where there are children. The Assembly numbered 258 delegates.

The report for China was marked with purple and gold. It chronicled the tragedy of Lienchou, in which two beloved missionaries of this Board passed through martyrdom to the "many mansions." Three addresses brought China before us. Dr. Frances F. Cattell told us of the *Place of Prayer in Medical Work*, Mrs. F. H. Chalfant brightly pictured *The Girls' High School* at Wei Hsien, and Miss Annie R. Morton made an effective plea for the *Neglected Rich*. Following Mrs. Cochran's picturesque report of India came Miss E. A. Foster's account of *The Trained Nurse in India*. When we listened to Mrs. B. W. Labaree of Persia, the benediction of her presence fell upon us, and our editor, Miss Ellen C. Parsons, led us into some alluring *African Paths*. Besides those already mentioned, the following missionaries were present:—Mrs. Charles Leaman and Miss Mary Leaman of China; Mrs. J. F. Holcomb of India; Mrs. F. S. Curtis of Japan, who led a devotional hour, and Mrs. R. F. Lenington of South America.

At the public meeting of Wednesday evening the ringing addresses of Mr. Speer and Rev. R. F. Lenington of Brazil, had both to be repeated at the overflow meeting. The offering amounted to $188 and was given to educational work in Brazil.

The Children's Meeting overflowed with love and enthusiasm as well as numbers. Some children sat seven in a pew, ladies were on platform steps, every corner was filled. Who that heard can ever forget the sound of hundreds of children with one voice, singing,—"Lord, let me send Thy message across the deep blue sea."—"*I—a prayer*,"—may that keynote echo long.

Leila B. Allen.

At Cohoes, N. Y., April 18, 19.

A bright, warm spring day, a beautiful church,—the Silliman Memorial,—a capacious parish house, a warm welcome, were the favorable auspices under which the Thirty-fourth Annual Meeting of Northern N. Y. Society began its sessions.

The opening devotional service was led by Miss C. A. Bush of Troy. Very forcibly she drew the contrast between the light in which it is our privilege to live and the darkness of heathenism, without the knowledge of the true Light. A helpful conference on practical questions pertaining to the home side of missions was held. All delegates were entertained at tea in the parish house by ladies of the church, which gave an opportunity for delightful social intercourse. When the time for evening service came we gathered under the shadow of the great calamity that had befallen a sister city and our fellow-workers in San Francisco. It was fitting that they and their needs, as well as those of our heathen brothers and sisters, should be carried to the throne of Grace. Rev. W. B. Hunt gave a most interesting address regarding the work which the Lord has so greatly blessed in Korea. As we heard of the self-sacrificing missionary spirit of Korean Christians, one could but feel that there is much which we in this more favored land can learn from them.

Thursday morning the devotional exercises were led by Mrs. C. A. Richmond, of Albany. After a delightful half hour of prayer the business session opened with an address by Mrs. G. C. Yeisley, our president, which was specially helpful. Her subject was *How to Become Great*. The secretaries' reports were full of encouragement on the home side as well as from the fields. Letters full of interest were received just in time for the meeting from Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. Silsby and Mrs. Seymour. The treasurer was able to report an advance over the preceding year. It was a great pleasure to have with us Dr. Mary J. Smith of Persia, both because of the interest in her work for the women of Teheran and of the interest that our Society has always had in the Iran Bethel School.

After a restful noon hour, in which again we enjoyed the beautiful hospitality of the ladies, the closing session was opened with the election of officers. It was with regret that we found we were to lose some of those who had faithfully served the Society in the past. Mrs. Yeisley announced that we were to have the privilege of sending out a missionary from within our own bounds and all the Society would have the honor and pleasure of having Miss Stocking as their own representative. Miss Stocking was enthusiastically received and said she was happy to think that not one, or two, church societies would be back of her, but all the Northern New York Society. There was no heart in the audience that did not catch the contagion of Miss Stocking's joy in going. The outfit and traveling expenses were pledged with evident joy in the giving, in a very few minutes. Mrs. Yeisley also announced that Miss Jean James, for two years one of our corresponding secretaries, had offered herself and been accepted by the Assembly's Board. It was regretted that Miss James could not be with us. The encouraging feature of the report on Young People's Work was the increase in United Study classes. Dr. Silliman was introduced and gave a brief address, and in turn introduced our own Dr. Rodgers of the Philippines Mission. It was specially gratifying that Dr. Rodgers could be with us, as before another meeting he will be back at his post in Manila. His earnest words and his plea for our prayers will not soon be forgotten. Resolutions of thanks

were offered from the meeting, and the benediction pronounced by Dr. Rodgers brought this unusually interesting meeting to a close.

Emily A. Darling.

At Evanston, Illinois, April 24-26.

Beautiful Evanston welcomed the Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Board of the Northwest with bright sunshine and large-hearted cordiality, and the First Church lent itself admirably to all the requirements of the occasion. Lilies, ferns and palms graced the platform and choir, and artistically decorated booths at the sides and rear of the auditorium were the successful means of interesting the two hundred delegates in the missionary literature of the countries represented in this way. The president, Mrs. Henry H. Forsyth, presided at all sessions except Wednesday evening, when Rev. J. G. K. McClure, D. D., occupied the chair. Tuesday evening Miss Grace Curtis Glenn, traveling secretary for young people, urged the importance of her special line of work in a most convincing way, and Mrs. D. B. Wells spoke on *Administrative Methods and Needs*: the needs of closer touch between executive and constituency, of a broader outlook and better equipment.

Wednesday morning the happily expressed greeting of Mrs. John H. Boyd, wife of the pastor of the First Church, was responded to by Mrs. John Balcom Shaw, who reminded the Board that it was twice blessed in including fourteen States, the perfect number added to the perfect number. The resumé of synodical reports brought gratifying news of progress from nearly all the twelve Synods. The report of the home secretaries noted a gain of one hundred and thirty-one societies; that of the foreign secretaries was full of interesting facts delightfully told; that of the field secretary gave a fore-word of "Christus Redemptor," which made all feel that there were even better things to come for the Mission Study classes than the good things hitherto provided. The treasurer announced a decrease in receipts for the year, but hastened to explain that this was not caused by a falling off in contributions, but by the fact that last year a legacy of $15,000 was received. The conference hours were fruitful in practical suggestions from those who are well equipped specialists in their different departments. One of the very good things that will make this meeting memorable was a paper by Mrs. Wm. Blair on "*Life Membership —Its Meaning; Its Purpose.*" We cannot refrain from quoting one sentence, wishing the paper might be read as a whole by every Christian woman. "The purpose of life membership is to enlist a necessary corps of the Grand Army of our Lord, earnest, reliable, full of faith, steadfast—a commissary department that secures and forwards supplies to the portion of the Army on the frontier—a corps of couriers daily speeding to the throne of Grace, seeking the wisdom and guidance of the Holy Spirit for those fighting the powers of darkness in heathen lands."

The devotional hour Thursday morning was led by Mrs. C. C. Brown. Her inspiring message found its key-note in Exodus xxxv: 25, 26, "the first recorded work of women for the Church." Time and space fail us to tell of the earnest and heart-searching appeals of the missionaries present, appeals all the more potent because made unconsciously in the simple recital of conditions and needs as they have seen them. Fresh and original impressions of work in Japan were given by Miss Henrietta Mayo, who, in her relationship of sister to a missionary, could look from a slightly different point of view. Miss Bodman said one object to be accomplished in Guatemala is to teach the Spanish that God is greater than the Church. India and China were ably represented by Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson and Rev. W. H. Luce. Abundance of joy in the service of the Lord was manifested as Mrs. Peoples told of her beloved Laos. Dr. Mary Bradford of Persia was unable to be present, but sent her greeting.

Miss Edith Moss gave a delightful map talk on Syria, and another interesting feature of Thursday's programme was an address by Miss Johnson, Ph.D., president of The Western College, Oxford, Ohio. Her theme was "*Evangelization of the World in this Generation.*" Mrs. O. J. Shannon reported eleven candidates accepted and, regretting that only two could be present, ten-

derly presented to the Board Miss Louisa McEwen, appointed to Chili, and Dr. Mary Gregg, appointed to Guatemala. Like the sunshine and rain of April, there were tears in the midst of rejoicing as Mrs. Forsyth recalled with sympathetic words the names and deeds of members and missionaries of the Board who have gone to be with the Lord during the past year. And even as we kept this *In Memoriam* hour, another name was added to the list, Mrs. C. C. Walker of Siam. The sweetly solemn communion service in charge of Dr. McClure, assisted by Dr. Herrick Johnson, Prof. Geo. Robinson and Dr. Covert, was the fitting close to a meeting whose purpose and spirit it was to remember the Lord Jesus Christ.

The cordial invitation from Westminster Church, Detroit, Mich., was accepted for the next Annual Meeting.

(*Mrs. A. S.*) *Mildred Berry.*

At Portland, Oregon, April 18, 19.

Although the first session was hardly under way when we heard the news boys calling extras, "All about the destruction of San Francisco by earthquake!" and although the tension of feeling was very great, as San Francisco and the cities of the North Pacific are allied in many ways, and many in our audience had relatives, friends and interests in the doomed city, still, almost all of us kept to our places, and many have said since, "The best Annual Meeting our North Pacific Board ever held was this eighteenth." It was held in the First Church. Our revered president, Mrs. Ladd, presided at every session except that of Wednesday evening. The first session was called to order by her and she extended a few words of warm greeting to the many delegates present from Washington, Oregon and Idaho. Mrs. Robinson from Hillsboro responded with thoughtful words. Impressive devotional services were held at the opening of each session.

Our treasurer reported a gain of $1,500 over last year, sixty-six women's societies and twenty-five young people's societies being on the Board's Honor Roll. It was later decided to make an advance of ten per cent. for the coming year. The records of our consecrated secretaries showed growth in nearly all lines, nor did they forget to remind us of the need of *constant advance.* Letters from our dear missionaries were full of encouragement. There was no word of self-sacrifice from them. The box-work is well systematized, and the secretary for this branch gave incidents showing the connection it has with the spiritual growth of the recipients.

Miss Julia Hatch, for four years our field secretary, brought the closing report of her work, which has been extensive and indefatigable. She has traveled often by long stage routes, day and night, in all kinds of weather through our vast territory organizing new societies, strengthening weak ones, gaining subscribers for our magazines, distributing literature, urging the United Study of Missions, and in every possible way forwarding the aims of our Board. She announced at the close of her report the name of a new missionary, Miss Eula M. Van Vranken of Milton, Oregon, who is appointed to Laos. Miss Van Vranken was present and told us that because of depleted ranks in that far away mission she had decided to offer her services.

We always wish that all our young people could hear the inspiring reports which their Christian Endeavor secretary, Miss Edna Protzman, brings to the annual meetings. She said that the young people are awakening to more effort in missions. Miss Mabel Goss, the new secretary for United Study, told what she hoped for the coming year in the way of many more societies, young and old, taking up this valuable study. We are the little sister among the Women's Boards, but no one of them can have a more competent secretary for women's auxiliaries than ours. She reports twenty new societies and advance along many lines.

Mrs. John W. Mateer gave us a message from China, telling of the continuance of the work there since the Boxer uprising and showing that "the blood of the martyrs *has become* the seed of the church." She urged us not to see with our own spectacles, but with the Lord's vision, adding that those who suffered most are the least bitter. We were stimulated to a deeper consecration of ourselves by the memorials of two beautiful lives called to higher service during

the year—those of Mrs. Julia (West) Lindsley and Mrs. Alice Forbes. The report of the traveling libraries showed that more of them could be used. The secretary of literature reported over 13,000 leaflets distributed and the money returns a hundred dollars more than last year, showing an increase of appreciation of the value of our literature. A lively "Round Table" and a model Sunday-school missionary lesson, showing how a lesson of that kind would instruct and interest more children than can be gathered in Bands, were features of our last afternoon. These were followed by the recitation of "The Little Widows of India" by Helen Ladd, the beautiful little granddaughter of our president. An enthusiastic letter from Dr. J. Hunter Wells told of great good already accomplished by the new "Carrie A. Ladd Hospital" at Pyeng Yang, Korea.

Among the "Reminders" Mrs. Mossman called upon us to remember and emulate the faith of the women who, eighteen years ago, organized this Board, after one year's effort and with only $150 to report. Our beloved president, who has served us for sixteen years, though in her eightieth year, will still be our leader, and Mrs. Mossman was re-elected associate president. In her closing words Mrs. Ladd urged us to prayerfully gird ourselves anew to meet every opportunity for advance in the coming year.

(*Mrs. J. S.*) *M. Louise Bradley.*

NOTES FROM HEADQUARTERS.

The following helps are permanent and may be obtained from all Women's Boards:

On all the Missions:—

Historical Sketch	10 cts.
Question Book	5 cts.
Schools and Colleges, each, 2 cts.; set,	15 cts.
Hospital Work, each, 1 ct.; set,	10 cts.
Home Life	2 cts.
Illustrated Programmes, per doz.	5 cts.
Hero Series	2 cts.
The Year Book of Prayer, 1906	10 cts.
A Visit to the West Africa Mission	10 cts.

For Mission Study Classes:—

Via Christi, Introduction to Missions,
Lux Christi, India,
Rex Christus, China,
Dux Christus, Japan,
Christus Liberator, Africa, for 1906,
Each, cloth, 50 cts.; paper, 30 cts.

Helps for Study of Africa text-book:—

Outlines of Lectures (Northfield)	10 cts.
Pictures (set of 24), postpaid	25 cts.
Map, in colors, 18x21 in., postpaid	15 cts.
Map, Outline, (to be filled in by individuals) per dozen only	15 cts.
For Children: *China for Juniors*	10 cts.
Japan for Juniors	20 cts.
Africa for Juniors. Cloth, 35 cts.; paper, 25 cts.; postage extra.	

From New York.

Wednesday meetings are omitted during August and September. The rooms will be open all summer except on Saturday afternoons. Send letters to 156 Fifth Ave., Room 818.

THE last monthly prayer-meeting of the season was held May 2, and, though it showed a little falling off in attendance by reason of the spring dispersion, was no less interesting than those that have preceded it.

Mrs. C. B. McAfee of Brooklyn was the leader and the special topic was Siam and Laos. Mrs. Morse gave an outline of our work there, using the large map of the country and naming the workers both new and old. Mrs. Reutlinger spoke from her forty years' experience of missionary life in Africa and told not only of seed-sowing but of the fruit in faithful Christian lives. There being no missionary from Siam available for an address, Dr. Arthur J. Brown recalled for us some of his impressions and experiences in his recent visit to that country. Railroads are now planned and begun in parts of Siam, but Dr. and Mrs. Brown were obliged to make long journeys on elephants—a novel mode of travel and far from safe at times, since elephants are as timid and as uncertain in temper as they are huge in size. It was pleasant to know that both the King and the Crown Prince speak English fluently and are tolerant of Western ideas.

Miss Cathcart, soon to enter upon missionary work in Mexico, was introduced and said a few words, and Rev. Homer Hulbert brought some very encouraging reports from Korea. The people have usually been rated as inferior to some others of the East, but, given the gospel and an education, they may well be counted upon in the great forward movement of the Far East.

LEAFLETS for June meetings: *Life in Barranquilla, Melinda Rankin, Anita*, each 2 cts.; *Meanderings in Mexico*, 3 cts.

NEW LEAFLETS: *Presbyterian Missions in the Philippines*, 5 cts; *The Haystack Prayer Meeting*, 5 cts.: *The First Women Physicians to the Orient*, 10 cts.

From St. Louis.

Meetings the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 10 A. M., at Room 21, 1516 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo. Missionary literature for sale at the above number. Visitors always cordially welcome.

THE Annual Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of the Southwest was called to order by the president at 10 A. M., Tuesday, April 17. The rooms were comfortably filled, but none of the members of the committee outside of St. Louis Presbytery were present. The devotional hour was led

by Mrs. A. S. Mermod, who gave a strong, helpful lesson on the need of greater faith and consecration, which was followed by an earnest prayer by Mrs. Jas. H. Brookes, our honored ex-president.

Mrs. Miller read the synodical report of Missouri, presented by Miss Alice M. Bullard, and the report of Indian Territory and Oklahoma, presented by Mrs. C. R. Hume. Both reports were brimful of encouragement, as progress was evident in every direction. Mrs. Parrish read the synodical report of Kansas, presented by Mrs. J. Y. Ewart, who stated that "an encouraging growth in membership and gifts was the predominating characteristic in the work of Kansas during the year."

Mrs. Rosborough gave a brief review of the work of the secretary for missionary candidates, and mentioned the eight accepted candidates by name and the States they come from. Mrs. Myer reported increasing readiness of societies to assume the support of special objects. Mrs. Harry Williams, who has been making a helpful journey through parts of our territory, spoke of the great kindness and generous hospitality she had met with everywhere, of the need of leaders for children's societies, and of the sad ignorance in many places of the work of Foreign Missions.

The crowning glory of the meeting was the report of the foreign corresponding secretaries, by Mrs. Clarence Beck. The messages she gave us from Rev. W. Y. Jones, Mrs. Gorbold, Miss Gibbons of Japan and from Mrs. Baird of Korea were especially inspiring. The burden of all the letters was "Pray for us!" and Mrs. Ranken led in a prayer for our loved ones in the field so fervent, so touching, that many furtive tears were wiped away. A special blessing must have come to those faithful hearts so far away!

The Treasurer's report showed that while gross receipts of last year exceeded those of this year, if we deduct the special gift of $1,545 to Ichowfu Hospital from last year's report we have a comfortable increase in 1906.

Mrs. S. I. Lindsay was appointed secretary for Kansas and Texas in place of Mrs. McKittrick, resigned. Mrs. Parrish's resignation was also received with regret. Mrs. James H. Brookes and Mrs. F. V. L. Brokaw, our two ex-presidents, were made honorary vice-presidents for life, and Mrs. E. P. Lamkin of Clinton, Mo., was added to our list of managers.

CHANGES IN THE MISSIONARY FORCE.

ARRIVALS:

April 5.—At New York, Rev. and Mrs. Sylvanus M. Gillam, from Cawnpore, India. Address, Dickeyville, Baltimore Co., Md.

April 19.—At New York, Rev. and Mrs. Jas. S. Cunningham, from Africa. Address, Oregon, Mo.

April 25.—At New York, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. E. Eckels and five children, from Siam. Address, 156 So. West St., Carlisle, Pa.

April 25.—At New York, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph M. Goheen, from Kolhapur, India. Address, Wooster, Ohio.

Dr. Emily Marston, from Lahore, India. Address, Maryville, Tenn.

May 3.—At New York, Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Wherry, from Lodiana, India. Address, Oak Park, Ill.

MARRIAGES:

April 5.—At Mahableshwar, India, Miss E. Emily Scheurman to Rev. Joseph P. Graham, both of Kodoli, W. India.

April 11.—At Ningpo, China, Miss Edwina Wilson Cunningham to Rev. Harrison King Wright, both of Ningpo.

DEATH:

April 21.—At Pitsanuloke, Siam, Mrs. Chas. C. Walker. Announced by cable; cause unknown. Dr. and Mrs. Walker left America in August, 1904.

NEW MISSION BANDS.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington, Gunton Temple, Allison Mem'l.

MARYLAND.

Berwyn; Riverdale.

NEW JERSEY.

Beverly; Hackettstown, Y. W. S.; Newark, 3d Ch., King's Messengers; Phillipsburg, Westm'r Ch., Bd.; Rahway, 1st Ch., Jr. Miss'y Soc.; Tenafly.

OHIO.

Greenfield, Y. L. S.; Hillsboro, Messengers.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Buffalo Run; Chester, 2d Ch., Busy Bees; Connellsville, Girls' Circle; Fruit Hill; Irvona; Kermoor; Pine Grove Mills; Ridley Park; Sunbury, Opportunity Club; Uniontown, Milholland Bd.

TENNESSEE.

Greenville, Far and Near.

Receipts of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church from April 1, 1906.

[PRESBYTERIES IN SMALL CAPITALS.] * Thank Offering.

BALTIMORE.—Annapolis, 2.40; Baltimore, 2d, Proudfit Bd., 3.42; Broadway, Home Dept., 8, C.E. Jr., 1.40; Frederick, 2.75; Frostburg, 10; Hagerstown, 1.20; Havre de Grace, 4; Relay, C.E., 16, $49.17

BELLEFONTAINE.—Belle Centre, 8.50, C.E., 3; Bellefontaine, 45.03, C.E., 25; Buck Creek, 17; Bucyrus, 18; Crestline, 11.46, Boys' Messengers, 1.41, Willing Workers, 50 cts.; De Graff, 3.50, C.E., 3; Galion, 8, C.E., 13; Huntsville, 7, C.E., 2.50; Kenton, 77.75, C.E., 20, C.E. Jr., 2.50; Marseilles, 6, C.E., 4; Rushsylvania, 6; Tiro, 6; Upper Sandusky, 14.50, C.E., 9; Urbana, 46, C.E., 10, Primary Dept., 5; West Liberty, 5.35, C.E., 2.13; Zanesfield, 3.80, 400.93

BUTLER.—Allegheny, 5; Amity, 16; Buffalo, 9; Butler, 1st, 91.54, Y.W. Aux., 40.50, C.E., 50, C.E. Jr., 15, S.S. Jrs., 6.50; 2d, 34.48, Y.W. Aux., 1.76, C.E., 25, C.E. Jr., 2, L.L. B., 5.25; Clintonville, 10, C.E., 20; Concord, 13, C.E., 35; Crestview, 4, C.E., 4; Evans City, 11, C.E., 10; Grove City, 57.31, Apple Blossoms, 60, L.L.B., 8.25; Harrisville, 21.25, C.E., 8.50; Martinsburg, 10; Middlesex, 23.80; Milbrook, 21; Muddy Creek, 30, A Lady, 15, A Little Boy, 1; North Liberty, 12; North Washington, 20, C.E., 10, L.L.B., 4; Parker City, 15, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 2; Petrolia, 10, C.E. Jr., 10; Plain Grove, C.E., 6, C.E. Jr., 2.50, L.L.B., 8; Plains, 2.78; Pleasant Valley, 10; Portersville, 14; Prospect, 5; Scrub Grass, 13.68, C.E., 10; Slippery Rock, 10.05, C.E., 7, McCauley Bd., 1; Summit, 5; Westminster, 6; West Sunbury, 22.62, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 10; Zelienople, 21.50, 923.27

CARLISLE.—Carlisle, 1st, 75.64, C.E., 5, Y.L. Bd., 10, Golden Chain, 60; 2d, 64; Central, 70.20, Gleaners, 18, Y.L. Branch, 39.50, Y.L.S., 40, C.E., 3; Falling Springs, 250. Y.

L.S., 159.75, Girls, 25, Boys, 1; Hope, C.E., 2; Dauphin, 18, Jr. Bd., 50; Derry, 1.50; Dickinson, 18.75, Miss Huston's Cl., 18.75, C.E., 6.27, Int. Galbraith Legacy, 15; Dillsburg, 7.50; Duncannon, 59.80, C.E., 1; Gettysburg, 49, Willing Witnesses, 5, C.E., 5, L.L.B., 2; Greencastle, 36, Y.L.S., 12.50, Lilies of the Valley, 20; Harrisburg, Calvary, 15, Sr. Dept. S.S., 10, C.E., 4, C.E. Jr., 4; Covenant, 24, C.E., 10; Market Square, 402.15, Weir Bd., 48.80, Miss Keefer's Cl., 7, C.E., 100, Macedonian Bd., 70, L.L.B., 13.95, Sr. Dept. S. S., 29.86; Olivet, 15; Pine St., 200.85, Mrs. Seiler's Cl., 84, Mrs. Wallace's Cl., 25, Chambers Bd., 10, Miss York's Cl., 10, Mrs. Snodgrass' Cl., 7.50. Mrs. Kautz's Cl., 7.50, Mrs. Boyd's Cl., 50, Mrs. McCammant's Cl., 7.50, Miss Cowden's Cl., 3.50, Miss Pollock's Cl., 10, Mrs. Henry McCormick's Cl., 10, Mrs. Gaine's Cl., 2, Mrs. Shoemaker's Cl., 1, Mrs. Gross' Cl., 5, Miss Aldrich's Cl., 5, Mrs. Forington's Cl., 5, Y.L. S., 111.59, C.E., 50, 3,506.99

CATAWBA.—Ben Salem, 50 cts.; Bethlehem, C.E., 50 cts.; Biddleville, Jr. Soc., 25 cts.; Concord, Westminster, C.E., 18.69; Emanuel, 1.50; Lawrence Chapel, 25 cts.; Lowell, 1; Scotia Seminary, 25; Shiloh, 1, 49.19

CHESTER.—Atglen, 16, C.E , 6; Avondale, 36.40, C.E., 10; Berwyn, 35, C.E., 5, C.E. Jr., 5, Mustard Seeds, 7.50; Brandywine Manor, 56.50, C.E., 4.50, Violet Bd., 52; Bryn Mawr, 25; Chester, 1st, 12; 2d, 16.70, Reaney Bd., 5; 3d, 24; Bethany, 2; Christiana, 35.65; Coatesville, 100, C.E., 50; Darby Borongh, 22.22, C.E., 20, C.E. Jr., 10, Ivy Leaf Bd., 30, Sunbeam Bd., 20; Dillworthtown, 10.40, C.E. Jr., 5; Doe Run, 27.50; Downingtown, 18; Fagg's Manor, 28.65; Frazer, 5.50; Glenolden, 12.30; Great Valley, 40.50, Y.P.S., 4, Little Sunbeams, 9.50; Honey Brook, C.E., 10; Kennett Square, 13.70, C.E., 1.50; Lansdowne, 59, Y.P. Assn., 5, S. E. H. Aux., 3.50, Helpers, 7.50; Lincoln University, W. Helpers, 10; Malvern, Faithful Friends, 4; Marple, 7; Media, 102, Schuler Guild, 31, C.E., 5; Middletown, 15.45, Perseverance Bd., 10, Young Men's Bd., 17.25, C.E., 8; New London, 18.25, C.E., 21.32; Nottingham, 10; Oxford, 86, Girls' Bd., 15, C.E. Jr., 10; Phœnixville, 126.15, C.E., 21.67; Ridley Park, 49; Rutledge, Chambers Mem'l, 2.85; Swarthmore, 44, C.E., 12.50, King's Messengers, 3.50; Tonghkenamon, 12.14; Upper Octorora, 91, Sr. Bd., 13.50, Marshall and Hope and Trust Bd., 40, Jr. Miss'y Bd , 11; Wallingford, 46.75, C.E. Jr., 7.25; Wayne, 35, Newton Bd., 3, C.E., 10, Boys' Club, 4; Grace Mem'l, 9; West Chester, 1st, 188, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 2; Westminster, 41.46, Y.L. Circle, 47, C.E., 25, C.E. Jr., 10, Miss'y Com., 17.25; West Grove, 20, C.E., 5.80, 2,147.11

CHILLICOTHE.—Bainbridge, 17.55; Bloomingburg, 8.30, C. E., 3.20, C.E. Jr., 1.50; Bourneville, 7.33, C.E., 5; Chillicothe, 1st, 122, Primary Cl., 3, C.E., 6.25; 3d, 2.85, Primary Cl., 13.13, C.E., 2.50; Concord, 11.98; Frankfort, 7.50, C.E., 3.75; Greenfield, 57.07, Snow Flakes, 5, C.E., 26.50; Hamden, 12, C.E., 1; Hillsboro, 18.75; Sycamore Valley, 2.50; McArthur, 9; Marshall, 2.70, C.E., 5; Mt. Pleasant, 10, C.E., 5; Mowrystown, C.E., 1.50; New Market, C.E., 1; North Fork, 17.08, Y.L.S., 3.69; Pisgah, 16.20; Sonth Salem, 31.16, Children's Bd., 6, C.E., 18.75; Union, 2; Washington C. H., 13.25, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 1.25; Wilkesville, 9; Wilmington, 1.50, C.E., 2, 504.74

CINCINNATI.—Bantam, 1.10; Batavia, 3.50; Bond Hill, 30, C.E. Jr., 2; Cincinnati, 1st, 25 (*15), Lights for Darkness, 17.75 (*5.25), Golden Circle, 26.15 (*1.15); 2d, 183.20 (*7); 3d, 33 10 (*19.05), C.E., 19, C.E. Jr., 3.25; 4th, 5; 5th, 15; 6th, 11, Westminster League, 5.40, Pearl Gatherers, 12, Attig Mem'l, 25; 7th, 77.75, C.E., 13.50, C.E. Jr., 1; Avondale, 413.70 (*38.50); Central, 2; Clifton, 57.61 (*4.36), McAlpine Bd., 5; Knox, 5.25; Mohawk, King's Messengers, 17.70, Miss'y Travelers, 19,50, L.L.B., 13.50; Mt. Auburn, 227.70 (*13 50); North, 32.45, Thompson Mem'l, 8.75, C.E. Jr., 16, Willing Workers, 14.50; Poplar St., 7, C.E., 50, C.E. Jr., 4; Sabbath Day, 90 (*12.50); Trinity, 5.50, Lights, 7.50; Walnut Hills, 95.05; Fnllerton, 10, In His Name, 3, McKibbin Bd., 3.15, Humphrey Soc., 12; Westminster, 46.42; Westwood, 35.64 (*9.64); Cleves and Berea, 14.42 (*6.50); College Hill, 61.50 (*16), Girls, 1.25, Clover Leaf Club, 1.50; Erwin, C.E., 5; Evanston, 12; Delhi, 31.65; Glendale, 46.93 (*18), C.E., 7; Harrison, 23.67 (*8), C.E., 2.50; Hartwell, 19.50, C.E., 9, Willing Workers, 5; Lebanon, 90.01, C.E., 12, Willing Workers, 1.50; Linwood, 11, Y.P.S., 9.50; Lockland and Reading, 7; Loveland, 41.15 (*17), C.E., 6.50; Madeira, C.E., 2.50; Madisonville, 10, C.E., 4, Little Gleaners, 2.50; Mason, 10.75; Montgomery, 5 (*3), C.E., 3; Morrow, 32.90; Murdock, 10.88 (*3.15); New Richmond, 12.92 (*4.71); Norwood, 59.67, Westminster League, 5.66, Azalea Bd., 12, Y.P. Bd., 10.60; Pleasant Ridge, 35.27 (*38 cts.); Pleasant Run, 3; Springdale, 17.80, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 5; Venice, 7; Williamsbnrg, 3.50; Wyoming, 102.08 (*35 58), Y.L.S., 15.90, C.E., 7; Park Place Chapel, 4.25 (*1); A Lady, 3.75, 2,593.98

CLARION.—Academia, 10, C.E., 5, C.E. Jr., 6; Beechwoods, 130, Bnsy Bees, 9; Bethesda, 16, C.E., 5, C.E. Jr., 10; Brockwayville, 39.69; Brookville, 105, Cunningham Bd., 75; Callensburg, 62.68, Y.L. Aux., 40, King's D.'s, 15, C.E., 10; Du Bois, C.E., 10; Edenburg, 15, Mayflowers, 5, C.E., 30; Emlenton, 87; Endeavor, C.E., 10; Greenville, 12.25, Y. L. Aux., 20, Lilies of the Field, 3; Leatherwood, 20; Licking, 17.40; Marienville, 5; Mt. Tabor, 5; New Bethlehem, 58.75, Y.L. Circle, 42.46, Star Bd., 16, C.E., 5; New Rehoboth, 13, Bd. of Hope, 6.36; Oak Grove, 11; Oil City, 2d, 319.79, Westminster B., 64.68, C.E., 80, Good Will Bd., 49.53; Penfield, 9; Pisgah, 35, Westminster Aux., 10; Punxsutawney, 4.50, Good Bd., 5; Reynoldsville, 50, Primary Cl., 5, Band, 5; Richland, 20; Rockland, 15; Scotch Hill, Bd., 4; Shiloh, 5; Sligo, 5; Sugar Hill, 15; Summerville, 10; Tionesta, 15.90, C.E., 6; West Millville, 8.50; Wilcox, 5.70, C.E., 18.39, 1,715.33

CLEVELAND.—Akron, 1st, 27; Ashtabula, 1st, 46.39, C.E., 25; Cleveland, 1st, 111, C.E., 40; 2d, 117.60, Jas. Eels Soc., 45; Beckwith, 50.75, A Friend, 5; Bethany, 10.79, C.E., 7.30; Bolton Ave., 92.06; Boulevard, 17, C.E., 5; Calvary, 231.79, C.E., 10; Collingwood Chapel, C.E., 2, C.E. Jr., 2; Eells Mem'l, 35, C.E., 20; Euclid Ave., 51.76; Madison Ave., 5, C.E , 10; Miles Park, 18.59; North, 87, Girls' Sewing Bd., 15, C.E., 2.50; South, 5, C.E., 2.50; Woodland Ave., 157.69, C.E., 37.50, King's Sons and Daughters, 50, S.S.B., 25; East Cleveland, 1st, 33.10; Windermere, 38, C.E., 7.70; Glenville, 16, C.E., 10; Lorain, 1st, 10; Northfield, 5; North Springfield, 8.50, C.E., 10; Orwell, 10, C.E., 25; Parma, 5, C.E., 6; Rittman (Milton), 2; Rome, 10.90; Seville, Guilford, 23, C. E. Jr., 2; Solon, C.E., 10; Wickliffe, 10; Willoughby, 3.50; Pres. Soc., 29.44, 1,978.05

COLUMBUS.—Amanda, 10, C.E., 5; Bremen, 6.25, C.E., 6.25; Central College, 25; Circleville, 44.30, C.E., 19; Columbus, 1st, 22.75, Sunshine Circle, 5; Broad St., 51.25 (*50), Primary Bd., 4.25, Sutoria Guild, 100, C.E., 25; Central, 119.25, Y.L.C., 8, Y.L.S , 37, W.W., 5, A Lady, 15, Girls, 5; Nelson Mem'l, 3.63, C.E., 3; Northminster, 15.61, C.E., 23; St. Clair Ave., 14, McDowell Soc., 9.30; W. Broad St., 7.50; Lancaster, 38.70, C.E., 10; London, 15.80, C.E., 3.40; Mt. Sterling, 5; Plain City, 25.20, C.E., 5.50; Rush Creek (West Rushville), 16; Scioto, A Friend, 2; Westerville, 18, C.E., 8; Worthington, 20, Jr. Helpers, 6.50, C.E., 3, 766.44

DAYTON.—Bath, 1.50; Blue Ball, 18.50; Camden, 8, Y.L. S., 3, Acorn Bd., 8; Collinsville, 9; Dayton, 1st, 59, Y.L.B., 1; 3d, 225, Montgomery Aux., 53.87, E. W. W. Soc., 1, C.E., 60; 4th. 43; Forest Ave., 4; Mem'l, 17, Hughes Soc., 28; Park, 5.73, S.S. Bd., 12; Fletcher, 5.50; Franklin, 11; Gettysburg, 5; Greenville, 78; Hamilton, 1st, 64.72; Westminster, 43.75; Middletown, 1st, 23.25; New Carlisle, 1; New Jersey, 2.50; Oxford, 48.50; Piqua, 110; Seven Mile, Olive Soc., 3.50; South Charleston, 13; Springfield, 1st, 76.10; 2d, 32.68, Y.L.S., 128, C.E. Jr., 9; 3d, 33; Troy, 155.75; Xenia, 32, King's Daughters, 77 cts.; Yellow Springs, 31, 1,505.12

ELIZABETH.—Basking Ridge, 54.75; Bethlehem, 19; Carteret, 2; Clarksville, C.E., 2; Clinton, 59, Sewing Soc. Aux., 38, C.E., 5, C.E. Jr., 5, Boys' Bd., 13, Star Circle, 20; Cranford, 9.87, Y.L.B., 25; Dunellen, 7, C.E., 3.07, C.E. Jr., 2.50; Elizabeth, Assn., 27.84 (*10.81); 1st, 63 69, Mary Morrison Bd., 60, King's Children, 25, C.E., 3.05; 2d, 245, Band, 193, C.E., 50, C.E. Jr., 10; 3d, 67.51, Y.L. Circle, 50, C.E , 25, C.E. Jr., 8.50; Bethany Chapel, C.E., 2, C.E. Jr., 2; Greystone, Cheerful Givers, 45, C.E., 10; Madison Ave., 25.25, Band, 19.15, Primary Cl., 9; Westminster, 114.85, Sr. Bd., 550, Jr. Bd., 3.41, C.E., 45; Hope Chapel, 25, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., Primary Cl., 3; Lamington, 11; Liberty Corner, C.E., 5; Lower Valley, 19; Metuchen, 25; Perth Amboy, 73, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 3; Plainfield, 1st, 52.31, King's Messengers, 5.23, L.L.B., 1.50; Crescent Ave., 528.43, Earnest Workers, 50, Sunshine Bd., 15; Warren Chapel, 64, C.E., 34.25; Hope Chapel, C.E., 10; Pluckamin, 34.10, Crescent Bd., 24.50, C. E., 6.90; Rahway, 1st, 38, C.E. Jr., 2; 2d, 90.75, C.E., 17.31, Harvest Bd., 55.46; Roselle, 66.75, C.E., 35, L.L.B., 12; Springfield, 53, C.E., 5.38; Westfield, 46, C.E., 40, C.E. Jr., 5.50; Mills Chapel, C.E., 4; Woodbridge, 39, C.E. ,5, 3,449.81

ERIE.—Atlantic, 14.55; Belle Valley, 9; Bradford, 100, C. E., 25; East End, C.E. Jr., 2; Cambridge Springs, 65.36; Cochranton, 25, C.E., 5; Conneaut Lake, 6; Conneautville, 13.58, C.E., 10, C.E. Jr., 2; Cooperstown, Sugar Creek, 11.15; Corry, 14.55, C.E., 5.75; East Springfield, 9.94; Edinboro, 13.83; Erie, 1st, 85; Central, Y.W.S., 50.57; Chestnut St., 9.70, C.E., 10; Park, 115, Sanford Mem'l, 100, C.E., 32.50; Fairfield, 9.70; Fairview, 5.93, C.E., 78 cts.; Franklin, 383.11, Y.L.B., 135.87, Olive Branches, 23.28, C.E., 30; Franklin, Rocky Grove, 4.85, C.E , 5; Girard, 36.39, C.E. Jr., 4; Greenville, 127.47, Y.L.B., 79.34, Star of Hope, 11; Hadley, 5.33, C.E., 5; Harbor Creek, C.E., 5; Jamestown, 52.38, C.E., 9.50; Kerr Hill, 47; Meadville, 1st, 51.24, Y.L. S., 62; Central, 24.54; Mercer, 1st, 13.14, C.E. Jr., 5; 2d, 94.43, Y.L.S., 25; North East, 81.67, Y.L.S., 36.37, C.E., 10, Do What You Can Bd., 10; Oil City, 50, Y.L.S., 58, Cheerful Workers, 4, C.E., 40; Pleasantville, 82.70, C.E., 25, C. E. Jr., 10; Sandy Lake, 13.28, Clover Leaf Bd. 7.45, Birthday Bd., 8.14, C.E., 5; Sheakleyville, 5, C.E., 5; Stoneboro, 20; Sunville, 5.82; Tidioute, 100, C.E., 8.27; Titusville, 741.18, Y.L.S., 344.46; Transfer, 9.70; Union City, 50.44; Warren, 2d, Aux., 276; Waterford, 25; Wattsburg, 4.85; Westminster, 4.88, C.E., 15, 4,048.97

Total for April, 1906,	$90,866.90
Total since May 1 1905,	174,447.31

(The remainder of April receipts will be published next month.)

(MISS) SARAH W. CATTELL, *Treas.*,
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Receipts of the Woman's Presbyterian Board of Missions of the Northwest for the month ending April 20, 1906.

ABERDEEN.—Mansfield, C.E., $1.50

ADAMS.—C.E. Union, 30; Angus, 8.17; Crookston, 20.10; Thief River Falls, 10 (less returned for Contingent Fnnd, 1.65), 66.62

ALTON.—Alton, 61; Upper Alton, 9; Carlinville, 18; Carrollton, 54.40, C.E., 6; Chester, 34; E. St. Louis, 34; Greenville, 7.25, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 2.50; Greenfield, 10.15; Hardin, 24; Hillsboro, 33, C.E., 20; Lebanon, 10; Litchfield, 17; Jerseyville, 44.75; Madison, 15.70; Raymond, C.E., 3.57; Reno, Bethel, 5; Sparta, 36.75; Trenton, 24, Jr. C.E., 2; Virden, 11, C.E., 3; Walnut Grove, 15, C.E. Jr., 2, 513.07

BISMARCK.—Mandan, C.E., 5; New Salem, 3, 8.00

BLOOMINGTON.—Bement, 172.80, C.E., 38; Bloomington, 1st, 43, C.E., 12.50; 2d, 99, Y.P.U., 56; Champaign, 50, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gunn, 12.50, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 10; Chenoa, 17.55, C.E., 7; Clarence, 5.25; Clinton, 196.24; Danville, 1st, 100; Bethany, 6; Downs, C.E., 10; El Paso, 9.80, C.E., 10; Fairbury, 161, Jr. C.E., 15; Gibson City, 45; Gilman, C.E., 15; Heyworth, 24.50; Homer, 6.25, C.E., 7.50; Hoopeston, 16.55, C.E., 12.50, Jr. C.E., 2.25; Lexington, 44.50, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 5; Minonk, 78.25; Monticello, 26; Normal, 20, C.E., 11.50, Miss Olive Hunting, 30; Onarga, 18, C.E., 20; Paxton, 20.25; Philo, 8, Jr. C.E., 5; Piper City, 361.13, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 10; Pontiac, 35, C.E., 30; Rankin, 27.05, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 5; Reading, C.E., 8.60; Rossville, 4.50; Tolono, 26.27, Jr. C.E., 2.85; Towanda, 21.62; Urbana, 39.50, C.E., 25; Waynesville, 6.85; Watseka, 5, C.E., 2.50, Jr. C.E., 5; Wenona, 10, C.E., 10; Presbyterial Soc., 5, 2,143.56

BOISE.—Boise, Mrs. Beal, 60; 1st, 7, Bd., 5; 2d, C.E., 3.75, Jr. C.E., 1.25; Bethany, C.E., 3.75; Caldwell, 5.70, C.E., 6.15; Nampa, 5; Payette, 6, 103.60

BOULDER.—Berthoud, 35, C.E., 10; Boulder, 43.50; Brush, C.E., 3.20; Ft. Collins, 50.75, C.E., 21, Jr. C.E., 5; Ft. Morgan, 12.40; Greeley, 8, C.E., 15; La Salle, 9.20, C.E., 1.75, Jr. C.E., 50 cts.; Longmont, 16, C.E., 10; Loveland, 8.50; Timnath, 12.75, C.E., 5; Valmont. 7.50, 275 05

BOX BUTTE.—Alliance, 4, C.E., 50 cts.; Marsland, King's Daughters, 5; Minatare, 1; Rushville, 4, Jr. C.E., 20; Scott's Bluff, 1.50, C.E., 4.50; Valeutine, 5.50, C.E., 2.50; Willow Creek, 1, 49.50

BUTTE.—Anaconda, C.E., 5; Deer Lodge, 1.25, C.E., 2.50; Dillon, 50 cts.; Missoula, C E., 15; Phillipsburg, 4.50, 28.75

CAIRO.—Anna. 33, C.E., 18.25, Jr. C.E., 15 Cairo, 9, C.E., 23, Jr. C.E., 5; Carmi, 35; Carbondale, 30; Carterville, 2, C.E., 2; Centralia, 6; Cobden, 7, C.E., 2; Du Quoin, 18, C. E., 15, Jr. C.E., 15; Fairfield, 2.80, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 5; Golconda, 4.72; Harrisburg, 3.10; Herrin, C.E., 2; Mt. Vernon, 8.40, C.E., 2; Murphysboro, 31; Odin, 31.30; Olney, 9.81; Shawneetown, 9.60, C.E., 5.66, Jr. C.E., 5; Tamaroa, 12; Wabash, 7.20, 389.84

CEDAR RAPIDS.—Anamosa, 5; Atkins, 5.40; Bellevue, C. E., 3.20; Blairstown, 15; Cedar Rapids, 1st, 236, C.E., 12.50; Central Pk., 7.71; Olivet, 3.50; Sinclair Mem'l, 5, C.E., 76 cts.; Westm'r, 55, C.E., 9; Clarence, 25; Center Junction, 5.05; Clinton. 212; Garrison, 17; Mt. Vernon, 50; Mechanicsville, 10; Monticello, 25; Marion, 43; Onslow, 14, C.E., 2.50; Springville, 8; Scotch Grove, 1, C.E., 44 cts.; Shellsburgh, 6.66; Vinton, 120.30, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 1; Wyoming, 18.50, C.E., 30, 952.52

CENTRAL DAKOTA.—Blunt, 2; Brookings, 45 40, C.E., 8.40, Bd., 5.25; Flandreau, 14.27, C.E., 2, Jr. C.E., 3; Huron, 84, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 4; Hitchcock, C.E., 2.50; Miller, 8.40, C.E., 3; Madison, 15.35, C.E., 7; Volga, 7; Wentworth, 3; Wessington, 3.50; White, 2, L.A.S., 2, C.E., 1; Wolsey, 9; Woonsocket, 7, C.E., 7, 256.07

CHICAGO.—Austin, Faith, C.E., 12.30; Chicago, Central Pk., 40; Christ Ch., C.E., 40; 2d, 70; 3d, 100; 4th, 1,777.05, Pr. Off., 171.68; 6th, 18; 8th, 10; Onward, C.E., 2; Roseland, C.E., 5.50; Willow Ave., C.E., 4.07; Englewood, 1st, C.E., 12.50; Highland Pk., 71.70; Hyde Pk., 44.44, Y.P.S., 100; Evanston, 1st, 14.50, Y.P.S., 25; Harvey, C.E., 10; La Grange, 30; Lake Forest, 210, Y.P.S., per Mrs. W. R. Nash, 55; Manteno, C.E., 10; Oak Pk., 1st, Study Cl., 6.25, F. N. C., 10; Joliet, 1st, C.E., 10; 2d, 1.50; Central, 88, C.E., 10; Kankakee, C.E., 22; Chicago Heights, C.E., 5; Gardner, 5; Homewood, 10 50; Interest and Income from Pearsons Gifts, 760.53; Anon., 48 cts.; Woodlawn Pk., By Sale of Persian Girdle, 40, 3,803.00

CHIPPEWA.—Ashland, 10.44, C.E., 5, Vaughn-Marquis Estate, 509.47; Bethel, 3.54, C.E., 2; Bayfield, C.E., 8.88; Eau Claire, 9 70; Hudson, 25; Ironwood, C.E., 4.80; Phillips, C.E., 1; Stanley, 7.75; Superior, C.E., 4; W. Superior, 36.41, C.E., 3, 630.99

CORNING.—Clarinda, C.E., 24; Emerson, C.E., 25, 49.00

COUNCIL BLUFFS.—Atlantic, 8.32, C.E., 2.50; Audubon, 38, Mrs. Lois Stuart, 25, C.E., 2.44; Casey, 5, Jr. C.E., 1; Carson, 1.50, C.E., 2; Council Bluffs, 1st, 45; 2d, C.E., 2; Greenfield, 2.50, C.E., 2.14; Griswold, 10.60; Bethel, 2.65; Guthrie Center, 4.20; Hamlin, 6.05; Logan, 2.30, C.E., 5; Menlo, 2.02, C.E., 2.50; Missouri Valley, 31, C.E., 2.50, Iuter. C.E., 1.68, Jr. C.E., 2.95; Shelby, 9.70; Woodbine, 21.50, 241.95

CRAWFONDSVILLE.—Ambia, 3; Attica, 46.50, C.E., 1; Bethany, 10; Beulah, 36.50; Crawfordsville, Center, 105, Whatsoever Bd., 25, Annie H. Walter Y.L.S., 20; 1st, 18, C.E., 15, Y.L.S , 25; Mem'l Chapel, Y.L.S., 7.50; Susan M. Harter Estate, 25; Clinton, 16; Dana, 9; Dayton, 40, Millie P. Sims, 20, Mrs. D. H. Crouse, 10; Darlington, 2; Delphi, 17.50, C.E., 15, Bd., 13.78; Frankfort, 91.84, Jrs., 4; Fowler, 2.65, C.E., 4.25; Judson, 6.30; Kirklin, 6; La Fayette, 1st, 19.75, C.E., 25; 2d, 63.40; Ladoga, 3.75; Lexington, North, 12; South, 7; Lebanon, 10; Newtown, 6 65, Buds of Promise, 10; Oxford, 5; Rockfield, 6.79; Rockville, 7, C.E., 2.50; Russellville, 6; Romney, 12; Sugar Creek, 4.25; Thorntown, 15, C.E., 4.50; Union, 12; Waveland, 6.25, Mrs. S. J. Milligan, 10; Williamsport, 17, C.E., 6.50, 868.16

DENVER.—Brighton, 1.50; Denver, Central, 102, Judson Soc., 50; York St., 26.50, C.E., 10; 1st Ave., 50.50, C.E., 25, Little Women, 7.50, Inter. C.E., 7.50, Alice Light Collier, 20; Highland Pk., 15, C.E., 15; S. Broadway, 14, C.E., 3, Jr. C.E., 1.50; 23d Ave., 87.50, C.E., 33; Westm'r, 11.64; Hyde Pk., 11.50, C.E., 2.50, Jr. C.E., 2, Gleauers, 1; North, 17, C.E., 2.60; Golden, 26, C.E., 20; Idaho Springs, 16; Littleton, 11; Wray, 1.90; Corona, 13.95, 606.59

DES MOINES.—Presbyterial Soc., 10; Adel, 10; Albia, 10; Centerville, 13, C.E., 10; Chariton, 10; English. 2.43; Colfax, 12.40; Dallas Center, 7.30; Derby, 1; Des Moiues, Central, 116; 1st, 12.50, C.E., 10; Highland Pk., 10.62; 6th, 16; Westm'r, 15; Dexter, 13.75, C.E., 5; Durham, 22.25; Garden Grove, 3.15; Grimes, 25; Indianola, 34.50, C.E., 5; Knoxville, 46, C.E., 6.87; Leon, 8.18, C.E., 2.50; Lucas, 7.20; Newton, 2.40; New Sharon, 3; Osceola, 3; Oskaloosa, 15.05; Panora, 6, C.E., 2; Perry, 7, C.E., 2.50; Ridgedale, C.E., 35; Russell, 5; Seymour, 20, C.E., 2; Winterset, 23.15, Bd., 5; Woodburn, 10, 586.75

DETROIT.—Ann Arbor, 78.35, C.E., 45; Birmingham, 25; Brighton, 11.50; Dearborn, Westm'r League, 3.50; Bethany, 30, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 8.80; Cadillac, 6, C.E., 7.50, Boys' Bd., 1.50; Calvary, 21, Jr. C.E., 8, Bd., 41; Central, 58, C.E., 10; Covenant, 15; 1st, 464.16, Richardson Bd., 110, Y.P.L., 40; Forest Ave., 52.40, Westm'r League, 12.38; Fort St., 712, W.L., 37.50, Jr. W.L., 30, Rhea Bd., 30; Immanuel, 46.42, Gailey Brown Bd., 5, Sunshine Bd., 7.50, Jr. C.E., 2.86; Jefferson Ave., 137.50, C.E., 30; Mem'l, 23.97, C.E., 5.15, Y. W.S., 7; Scovel, 51, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 9, Bd., 6; 2d Ave., 22.50, Inter. C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 5, Y.P.U., 24; St. Andrews, 32.75, C.E., 3, Jr. C.E., 2; Trumbull Ave., 29.50, C.E., 25; Westm'r, 160, E. S. G. Assn., 12.50; Highland Pk., C.E., 10; Holly, C.E., 2; Howell, 28; Milan, 2, C.E., 2, Jr. C.E., 1; Milford, 75.29, Builders, 5; Mt. Clemens, 25.50, C.E., 10; Northville, 45.53; Pontiac, 60, Y.W.S., 72.56, S. D. C., 45.07; Saline, C.E., 7.70; S. Lyon, 5, Y.W.S., 5; Southfield, 5; Springfield. C.E., 9; Unadilla, 12; White Lake, 17.50; Wyandotte, C.E., 5.10; Ypsilauti, 123, 3,104.49

DUBUQUE.—Presbyterial Soc., 10; Coggon, 5.23, C.E., 2 88; Dubuque, Westm'r, 38.80, C.E., 1.50; Hazleton, 2, C. E., 5; Hopkinton, 17.48, C.E., 9; Independence, 1st, 31.48, C.E., 10.33; Jesup, 4.75, C.E., 2.86; Manchester, C.E., 1.50, Jr. C.E., 1; Maynard, C.E., 2; Rowley, 9.50; Sumner, 4.75; Volga, 6.89; Winthrop, Pine Creek, 13.50; Unity, 3.05, 183.50

DULUTH.—Carlton, C.E., 8; Cloquet, 5; Lakeside, C.E., 5.20; H. E. H., 5, 23.20

FARGO.—Casselton, 10; Fargo, 21.20, 31.20

FLINT.—Bad Axe, 5; Caro, 25, C.E., 8.35, Bd., 6; Fenton, 16; Flint, 17.82, W.L., 5.50; Harbor Beach, C.E., 5.20; Lapeer, 40.70, C.E., 4; Marlette, 1st, 9, C.E., 3; 2d, 5; Port Huron, 1st, 2; Westm'r, 2.50, C.E., 5.82; Vassar, 16. 176.89

FT. DODGE.—Armstrong, 6; Burt, 5; Churdan, 3.30; Dana, 10; Estherville, 14.25; Fonda, 3; Boone, 25, C.E., 6; Ft. Dodge, 121, C.E., 15; Germania, 10; Glidden, 10, Jr. C.E., 1, Busy Bees, 2.82, L.L. Bearers, 66 cts.; Jefferson, 32.50; Lake City, 17.50; Livermore, 13; Lohrville, 11; Rockwell City, 15; West Bend, 5; Presbyterial Soc., 10, 337.03

FT. WAYNE.—Albion, C.E., 1; Auburn, 12.18; Bluffton, 31.50; Columbia City, 9.18, C.E., 2; Decatur, 28.65; Elhanan, 14.55; Elkhart, 49.68, C.E., 11, Inter. C.E., 1.50, Jr. C.E., 1; Ft. Wayne, Bethany, 7.30; 1st, 318.90; 3d, 20, C.E., 9, Jr. C. E., 2.50; Westm'r, 31.05, C.E., 2.81; Goshen, 65, Jr. C.E., 10, Y.W.C., 223.50; Huntington. 80; Kendallville, Jr. C.E., 14.52; La Grange, 39.40; Ligonier, 5, Jr. C.E., 2; Lima, 16.88; Ossian, 7; Pierceton, 4, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 1; Warsaw, 32.25; Waterloo, 7; Winona, 6.30; Presbyterial Soc., 10, 1,081.65

FREEPORT.—Argyle, 21.19; Byron, Middle Creek, 7; Freeport, 1st, 164.50; 2d, 12, C.E., 6, Jr. C.E., 5; Galena, 1st, 17; South, 25.82, C.E., 10, Y.L.S., 10.50; Hanover, 30, C.E., 24.50; Harvard, 3; Mareugo, 36.57, C.E., 64.75; Oregon, 5.35, C.E., 9.50; Ridgefield, 7.13; Rockford, 1st, 76.78, C.E., 25; Westm'r, 35.65, Jr. C.E., 1; Winnebago, 17.27, C. E., 5.75; Warren, 6.50, 627.76

GREAT FALLS.—Great Falls, 12.50, Miss Gara Gilchrist, 12.50, C.E., 2.50; Havre, C.E., 2; Kalispell, 11; Lewistown. 14.50, 55.00

GUNNISON.—Aspen, 4.25; Delta, 6; Gleuwood, 16, C.E., 1; Grand Junction, C.E., 10; Leadville, 15, C.E., 3; Salida, 2.45, 57.70

HASTINGS.—Aurora, 8.60, C.E., 5; Beaver City, 2, C.E., 2; Heartwell, Bethel, 9.90, C.E., 5; Blue Hill, C.E., 5; Culbertson, C.E., 4; Edgar, 3.20; Hansen, 4, C.E., 4; Hastings, 1st, 15.88, C.E., 10; German, 2; Holdredge, 16.96, C.E., 2; Kenesaw, C.E., 5; Minden, 6, C.E., 2.50; Nelson, 14, C.E., 5; Superior, 2.60, C.E., 1.54, 136.18

HELENA.—Boulder, 9.95; Bozeman, 47.70; Helena, 42.45; Manhattan, 2.50, C.E., 60; Miles City, 27, 189.60

INDIANAPOLIS.—Bloomington, 22.75, Bd., 52 cts.; Brazil, 39; Columbus, 26.10, C.E., 6.25; Franklin, 115.50, C.E., 20, Bd., 35; Greencastle, 17; Greenfield, 24, C.E., 1.32; Greenwood, 29.28, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 1; Hopewell, 64.51, C.E., 30.94, Jr. C.E., 4; Indianapolis, 1st, 156.29, C.E., 40, Y.W., 20, Grettie Holliday Bd., 25.01; 2d, 85, Mrs. Mixley, 50, King's D., 80, Lucy Mayo Bd., 2, Sara Mayo Bd., 13, Nippon Bd., 56; 4th, 25; 6th, 4; 7th, 54.48, C.E., 26, Annabette Wishard Soc., 21.65; Grace, 22.66; Home, 17.40; Olive St., 4.80; Mem'l, 30, King's D., 15; Tabernacle, 400.08, Mary Fulton Soc., 85, Sabbath Club, 8, Jr. Bd., 61.65; E. Washington St., 9; W. Washington St., 5; Poland, C.E., 1; Southport, 12; Spencer, 4.50, C.E., 2.50; Whiteland, 19.30; Contingent Fund, 75.50, 1,873.99

IOWA.—Bonaparte, 3; Birmingham, 6; Bloomfield, 7.31; Burlington, 76.43, Bd., 12.15; Fairfield, 80, Jr. C.E., 2, Gleaners, 10; Ft. Madison, 81.71; Hedrick, 1.57; Keokuk, Westm'r, 50, Golden Rule Bd., 78 cts.; 2d, 4.20; Kossuth, 4, Girls' Bd., 5; Martinsburg, 3; Middletown, 3; Milton, 3.20; Morning Sun, 10, C.E., 6; Mt. Pleasant, 11.10, C.E., 2.50; New London, 2; Ottumwa, 1st, 20; East End, 45.35, C.E., 23 25; Wapello, C.E., 2.50; Winfield, 15; Presbyterian Soc., 10, 501.05

IOWA CITY.—Atalissa, 3.50, C.E., 1; Crawfordsville, 10.45; Columbus Junction, 5; Davenport, Miss Sallie Walker, 20; 1st, 20, Y.P.S., 5; 2d, 3.75; Iowa City, 24.25; Keota, 6, C.E., 5; Malcom, 7; Marengo, 8.50, C.E., 12.89; Montezuma, 20; Muscatine, 50.34; Princeton, C.E., 2; Sigourney, 7.15, C.E., 1.50; Scott, 1; Summit, C.E., 2.84; Tipton, 21.15, C.E., 10; Washington, 82 20, C.E., 12.50, Mr. and Mrs. D., 10; W. Liberty, 5.62, Bd., 1.10; W. Branch, C.E., 5; Williamsburg, 22.75, Jr. C.E., 5; Wilton, 15, C.E., 10, 417.49

KALAMAZOO.—Buchanan, C.E., 6.50; Decatur, 2.50, C.E., 4.50; Edwardsburg, 1.12; Martin, 3; Sturgis, C.E., 4; Three Rivers, C.E., 10, 31.62

KEARNEY.—Central City, 11.20; Grand Island, 1.75, C.E., 2, King's D., 10; Gibbon, C.E., 6.50, Jr. C.E., 5; Lexington, 1, C.E., 10.90; N. Platte, C.E., 10.50; Shelton, 2.80; Sutherland, C.E., 1; Wood River, 4, 66.65

KENDALL.—Franklin, Bd., 1; Idaho Falls, 5.25; Malad City, 6.75, Pansy Club, 6, Y.P., 2.50; Paris, Earnest Workers, 5, 26.50

LA CROSSE.—Galesville, 5; La Crosse, 21.49, C.E., 10; North, C.E., 5; New Amsterdam, 13; North Bend, C.E., 5; W. Salem, Club, 20, 79.49

LAKE SUPERIOR.—Calumet, 60; Escanaba, 12; Ford River, 3; Gladstone, 10; Iron Mountain, 9, Bd., 10; Ishpeming, 25; Manistique, 62, C.E., 25; Marquette, 88, C.E., 20, Bd., 26; Menominee, 31; Munising, 8.75; St. Ignace, 8; Sault Ste. Marie, 10, 407.75

LANSING.—Albion, 63.50, C.E., 15; Battle Creek, 59.73, C.E., 40; Brooklyn, 12; Concord, 15.40; Dimondale, 4.80; Hastings, 15, C.E., 6; Holt, C.E., 5; Homer, 19.30, C.E., 5; Jackson, 44.34, C.E., 13.50, Bd., 16, Gleaners, 1.75; Lansing, 1st, 40 47; Franklin Ave., 10, C.E., 24.94, Bd., 7.64; Marshall, 20.50, C.E., 20, W. T. H. C., 10, Mrs. Haskell's Cl., 12.50; Mason, 15.50; Morrice, 2; Parma, 9.30, 509.17

LOGANSPORT.—Bethel, 5; Bethlehem, 3.15; Bourbon, 2.50; Brookston, 7; Concord, 4.85; Crown Point, 29.83; Goodland, 3; Hammond, 3, C.E., 3.35, Jr. C.E., 3.15; Lake Prairie, 9.85, C.E., 5; La Porte, 12, C.E., 20; Logansport, Broadway, 24.50; 1st, 40.11, C.E., 15, Bd., 5; Meadow Lake, 3; Michigan City, 6.07, C.E., 2.50; Mishawaka, 9, C.E., 18; Monticello, 4.02, C.E., 10; Pisgah, 6.98; Plymouth, 1.57, C.E., 6.62; Remington, 28.10, C.E., 3.75; Rensselaer, 7; Rochester, 3.75; South Bend, 1st, 78.56, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 11; Trinity, 2.50, C.E., 3; Westm'r, 2; Union, 24.54; Valparaiso, 12.95; Walkerton, 2.50, 453.70

MADISON.—Baraboo, 8; Belleville, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 4; Beloit, 5; Janesville, 20.25, C.E., 4; Kilbourn, 3, Mrs. G. W. J., 28; Lima, 1.62; Lodi, C.E., 5; Madison, 20, Pr. Off., 71, C.E., 10; Portage, 10; Poynette, 10; Reedsburg, 14; Richland Center, 2, 220.87

MANKATO.—Balaton, 21, Jr. C.E., 1; Beaver Creek, C.E., 90 cts.; Blue Earth, 34; Kasota, 8.25; Lake Crystal, 3; Luverne, 8.53; Madelia, C.E., 1; Mankato, 10; Marshall, 26.90, C.E., 9.40, Jr. C.E., 5, Bd., 5; Morgan, 7.05; Redwood Falls, 12.37; Rushmore, 8; Slayton, C.E., 3; Windom, C.E., 5; Winnebago, 10 82, C.E., 10; Worthington, 33.47, C.E., 4.79; Presbyterial Off., 18, 246.48

(The remainder of April receipts will be published next month.)

Total receipts for month,	$36,395.12
Total receipts for year ending April 20, 1906,	97,180.70

MRS. THOMAS E. D. BRADLEY, *Treas.*,
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Receipts of the Women's Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church for March, 1906.

* Indicates Thank Offering

BINGHAMTON.—Afton, 2.48, C.E., 3.77; Binghamton, Broad Ave., 18; 1st, 87.50, King's Daughters, 20, C.E., 7; Floral Ave., C.E., 5; Immanuel, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 3; North, 35; Ross Mem'l, 5, C.E., 2.20; West, 35, C.E., 15, Jr C.E., 6; Conklin, 20, C.E., 5; Cortland, 112.63, Y.L. Bd., 25, Boys' Bd., 40, Sunbeam Band, 42, C.E., 35; Hancock, 5; McGraw, 20, C.E., 12, Jr. C.E., 5; Marathon, 7; Nichols, 1.71; Owego, 75, C.E., 25; Preble, 15, Jr. C.E., 2; Smithville Flats, 8; Union, 9, C.E., 10; Waverly, 25.90; Whitney Point, 14.22; Windsor, 12.24, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 1, $781.65

BOSTON, MASS.—Boston, 1st, 53, C.E., 75; St. Andrews, 5; Scotch, 10, Light Bearers, 5; East Boston, Jr. C.E., 10; Roxbury, 30.40, A Friend, 25; South Boston, 10, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 2.50; Houlton, Me., 10, C.E., 5; Hyde Park, 7, C.E., 25; Londonderry, N. H., 5, C.E., 10; Lynn, 10, C.E., 25; Manchester, N. H., Westm'r, 5; New Bedford, 5; Newburyport, 1st, C.E., 12.50; Portland, Me., 10; Providence, R. I., 1st, 17.50, C.E., 6.25, Jr. C.E., 5; 2d, C.E., 5, Jr. C.E., 5; Quincy, C.E., 25; South Ryegate, Vt., C.E., 5; Worcester, C.E., 13, 452.15

BROOKLYN.—Brooklyn, Ainslie St., 20, Jr. C.E., 10; Bay Ridge, 25; Bedford, 35, Y.P.S., 140, Girls' Bd., 8.20; Bethany, 25; Borough Park, C.E., 5; Bushwick Ave., German, 5; Central, 20, Girls' Bd., 5, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 5; Classou Ave., 140, Girls' Bd., 10, C.E., 50; Duryea, 76.60, C.E., 10; 1st, 125, City Park Branch, 7.57, Cheerful Givers, 5, Little Light Givers, 3.25, C.E., 9, Jr. C.E., 4; 1st German, C.E., 4.50; Franklin Ave., C.E., 5; Grace, 23, C.E., 25, Jr. C.E., 5; Greene Ave., 22.15, Y.L. Circle, 5.84, C.E., 21; Irving Sq., 18.92; Lafayette Ave., 160.52, Cuyler Bd., 60, Daughters of the Temple, 20; Cuyler Chapel, C.E., 4.50; Mem'l, 82.35; 24th St. Branch, 6; Mt. Olivet, 10, C.E., 4; Noble St., 43.75, Y.L. Circle, 5, Girls' Bd., 5; Olivet, C.E., 45; Parkside, 5; Prospect Heights, 20.30, C.E., 3; Ross St., 17.52, C.E., 150; 2d, 88.24, Y.L.S., 50; South 3d St., 45.79, Y.L.S., 33.12, Little Light Bearers, 1.50, C.E., 17; Throop Ave., 110.07, Y.W. League, 5, Y.M.S., 19, Y.P. Assn., 25, Jr. C.E., 5, Mission, A Friend, 12; Westm'r, 6.12, Y.L. Guild, 5; Woodhaven, L. I., 13, 1,961.81

BUFFALO.—Akron, 10, C.E., 2; Allegany, 10, Bd., 1 50, C.E., 3; Buffalo, Bethany, 25, C.E., 15; Bethlehem, 24, King's Daughters, 5, C.E., 11.05; Calvary, 37.75, Loyal Bd., 1; Central, 89.68, King's Daughters, 20, Golden Rule Bd., 2, C.E., 25; Covenant, Jr. C.E., 5; East, 24.37; Faxon Ave., C.E., 1; 1st, 735; Kenmore, 15, C.E., 8.25, Jr. C.E., 2; Lafayette Ave., 100; North, 264.75, Y.L.S., 56, M. K. Van Duzee Bd., 38, C.E., 15.54; Park, 31.55, Bd., 5; South, 10, C.E., 7.63, Jr. C.E., 2; Walden Ave., 15, Y.L.S., 10, Jr. C.E., 5; West Ave., 20, C.E., 23; Westm'r, 150; Clarence, 3; Conewango, 12.60, C.E., 1; Dunkirk, 124; East Aurora, 56.85, C.E., 25; Ellicottville, C.E., 5; Franklinville, 15, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 1; Fredonia, 22.36; Gowanda, King's Daughters, 10; Hamburg, 12.50, C.E., 5; Lancaster, Jr. C.E., 5; Olean, 23; Portville, 185; Sherman, 7, C.E., 9; Silver Creek, 20, C.E., 10; Springville, 11; Tonawanda, C.E., 10; Westfield, Bd., 2.50; A Friend in Buffalo, 4, 2,409.88

CAYUGA.—Auburn, Calvary, 53 cts., C.E., 10; Central, 25; 2d, 6.75, Primary Dept., 7; Westm'r, Y.L. Circle, 5, Girls' Bd., 4; Aurora, Wells College Soc., 50; Cato, 12.50; Cayuga, 8.40, King's Daughters, 2; Dryden, Bd., 2.25, C.E., 5; Five Corners, 2.83, C.E., 2.50; Genoa, 2d, 1.10; Ithaca, 73 50, Girls' Soc., 2.50, Queen Esther Bd., 1.35; King's Ferry, 10, C.E., 7.25; Port Byron, 10, C.E., 5; Scipioville, 9; Union Springs, 15; Weedsport, C.E., 5, 283.46

CHEMUNG.—Big Flats, 10; Breesport, 3; Dundee, 12.50, C.E., 8; Elmira, 1st, 72, C.E., 10; Franklin St., 5.50; Lake St., 51.21, Heartsease Bd., 5, C.E., 15; North, 9.45, Girls' Bd., 5.70, "Trees of Promise," 1.74, C.E., 5.22; South, C.E., 2, Jr. C.E., 2; Hector, 12; Mecklenburg, 14; Montour Falls, 8.50; Spencer, 25; Sugar Hill, 6; Watkins, 50; Weston, 3, 336.82

EBENEZER, KY.—Ashland, 1st, 15, Y.L.S., 10; Covington, 1st, 50, Mrs. Rodgers, 15, King's Stars, 13, Boys' Bd., 7; Flemingsburg, 14.78; Frankfort, 1st, 50; Lexington, 2d, 35, Y.W.S., 13.80, Light Bearers, 2, C.E., 10; Ludlow, 1st, 10; Maysville, 1st, 7.50; Mt. Sterling, 12.90; Newport, 1st, 27, C.E., 9; Paris, Bd., 2.60; Pikeville, McFarland Mem'l, 4, Westm'r League, 10, Jr. C.E., 3; Sharpsburg, Y.M. Study Cl., 2.50, Little Workers, 23.75; Williamstown, 8.30, 356 13

GENESEE.—Attica, 12.95; Batavia, 55.20, Bd., 22.65, C.E., 25, Jr. C.E., 5.60; Bergen, 33, C.E., 10; Bethany, 7; Byron, 18, Sunshine Club, 2.50, C.E., 2; Castile, 8.03, C.E., 5; Corfu 4; East Pembroke, 5, C.E., 2.50, Jr. C.E., 1.50; Elba, 26; Le Roy, 18, *21, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 41; North Bergen, 20,

Stone Church, 4, May Blossom Bd., 3; Perry, 18; Pike, 3; Warsaw, 26, Y.W.S., 11.65, *17; Wyoming, 24.50, 468.08

GENEVA.—Bellona, C.E., 50 cts.; Canandaigua, 25; Dresden, 1.33; Geneva, 1st, 6.25, Sons and Daughters of the King, 10, Jr. C.E., 70 cts.; North, 10, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E.. 5; Gorham, 12.50; Naples, C.E., 12, Jr. C.E., 3; Oaks Corners, 5.25; Ovid, 33; Penn Yan, 25.45, Y.L.S., 10; Phelps, 18, Everett Bd., 5; Romulus, 6.11; Seneca, 73.17; Seneca Castle, 8.95; Seneca Falls, C.E., 20; Trumansburg, 13.85, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 1.11; Waterloo, 10; West Fayette, 7, 342.17

HUDSON.—Amity, 3.75, C.E., 2; Bethel, 5; Campbell Hall, 4.25, C.E., 6; Chester, Jr. C.E., 5; Circleville, 5.50; Cochecton, 2.50; Conger, Mrs. Gilmor, 15; Goshen, A. E. M. Soc., 18; Haverstraw, Central, 37.50, C.E., 26; Hopewell Ch., 8.45, Searsville Bd., 4; Middletown, 1st, 67; 2d, 44, C.E., 25; Monroe, 3; Montgomery, 10, C.E., 15; Monticello, 5, C.E., 7.50, Jr. C.E., 5; New Hampton, 3.50, C.E., 5; Nyack. 5; Otisville, C.E., 5; Port Jervis, 16, King's Messengers, 10; Ramapo, Hillburn, 10.80; Ridgebury, 16, C.E., 7.50; Scotchtown, 18; Stony Point, C.E., 5; Sufferns, 4; Washingtonville, C.E., 3.25; Westtown. Sunshine Bd., 2, 435.50

LONG ISLAND.—Bridgehampton, 25.49, Y.L.S., 7.50, Little Givers, 12, C.E., 12; Centre Moriches, 20.92; East Hamptou, C.E., 33; East Moriches, 12, Jr. C.E., 1; Franlinville, 15.40; Greenport, 58 50, Bd., 5.22, C.E., 5; Mattituck, 1.13, Y.L.S., 5, C.E., 7.50; Middletown Ch., 45 cts., Inasmuch Bd., 1.50, C.E., 3.33; Port Jefferson. C.E., 13.93, Jr. C.E., 5; Remsenburg, C.E., 2.50; Sag Harbor, 28.40, C.E., 3; Setauket, 14.30, C.E., 10.86, Stony Brook, C.E., 3, Jr. C.E., 2; Shelter Island, Dorcas Soc., 10, Whatsoever Bd., 1, C.E., 15 50; Southampton, 57.25, Bd., 1.53, C.E., 8.66; South Haven, 2; Springs, C.E., 5; Westhampton, 46.10, Bd., 10; Yaphank, 8.50, C.E., 1, 476.47

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Cloverport, 4; Hopkinsville, 1st, 31.30, C.E., 25; Kuttawa, 10; Louisville, Alliance, 40; Calvary, Girls' Soc., 12; Covenant, 14, King's Daughters, 1, Sunshine Bd., 3, C.E., 5; 4th, 14.18, Jr. League, 50 cts.; 4th Ave., 125.50; Immanuel, 3.55, C.E.. 1; Warren Mem'l, 150, *17.15, Y.L. Guild, 50, Mrs. Culbertson, 150, Mrs. Leech's Cl., 25; Owensboro, 17; Pewee Valley, 12; Princeton, Hawthorne Bd., 20; Shelbyville, 17, 748.18

LYONS.—Clyde, 13; East Palmyra, 23; Huron, 4, C.E., 2; Junius, 7.75; Lyons, 11.10; Newark, 42.80, C.E., 40; Ontario Center, C.E., 3; Palmyra, 9; Red Creek, 7.32; Rose, 5, C.E., 5; Sodus, 22, Y.P.S., 6; Williamson, 15, C.E., 5; Wolcott, 15, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 4, 249.97

MORRIS AND ORANGE, N. J.—Morristown, 1st, 200.00

NASSAU.—Astoria, 23.07, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 4; Babylon, 20.83; Brentwood, 5; Far Rockaway, 23, Bd., 2, C.E., 5; Freeport, 23.50, Union Soc., 8.50, Y.P. Assn., 5, Jr. C.E., 7; Glen Cove, 15, C.E., 10; Glenwood, 10; Hempstead, 36, Jr. Dept. Miss. Work, 20, Jr. C.E., 5; Huntington, Central, 7.94; 1st, 20, Y.M.C.E., 9.20; Northport, 20; Oyster Bay, 20, C.E., 10; Roslyn, 4, C.E., 25; Smithtowu Branch, 4, Y.W. S., 5, Jr. C.E., 2.50; Springfield, 4.50, C.E., 26.50, Jr. C.E., 3, 394.54

NEW YORK.—New York, Bedford Park, 5, C.E., 10; Bethany, 25, C.E., 23; Brick, 649.70; Central, 125, Jr. C.E., 20; Covenant, 50; East Harlem, Bd., 1; 5th Ave., 550, Jr. Soc., 80; 1st Union, 15; 14th St., 20; 4th, 100, C.E., 581.99; 4th Ave., 51, Y.L. Bd., 50; Harlem, 100, Helping Hands, 20; Madison Ave., 55; Madison Sq., 250; Morningside, 10; New York, 20; Park, 25; Rutgers, 323, Y.W.S., 147; St. Nicholas, Inter. C.E., 3.93; Scotch, 68.97; Spring St., Ivy Bd., 10; 13th St., 84.75, C.E., 20.20, Jr. C.E., 10; University Heights, 10, King's Danghters, 5; University Pl., 600; West End, 105.87, C.E., 50; Woodstock, 18; De Witt Mem'l, Woman's Meeting, 10; Stapleton, S. I., I. D. H., 40; West New Brighton, S. I., Calvary, 37.94, 4,381.35

NIAGARA.—Albion, C.E., 10; Barre Centre, 2, Bd., 3; Knowlesville, Y.L. Circle, 5, Whatsoever Bd., 50 cts., C. E., 8, Jr. C.E., 50 cts.; Lockport, 1st, 14, Grace Newton Circle, 10, C.E., 10; 2d, 6, Mrs. Ford's Bd., 1, C.E., 2; Lyndonville, 8; Mapleton, 2, C.E., 4.18; Medina, Y.L.S., 50 cts., C.E., 8.50; Middleport, 1; Niagara Falls, Pierce Ave., 5, C.E., 6; North Tonawanda, 20.70, C.E., 18.50; Wilson, 9, C.E., 5; Wrights Corners, 2; Youngstown, C.E., 5, 167.38

NORTH LAOS.—Chieng Mai, 9.66

NORTH RIVER.—Amenia, 10.75; Ancram Lead Mines, 5, C.E., 2.50; Cold Spring, 12.60, C.E., 7; Cornwall, Canterhury, 10.71; Cornwall-on-Hudson, 3.61, C.E., 8; Freedom Plains, 5, C.E., 5; Highland Falls, 6.75; Kingston, 23.25; Little Britain, C.E., 10; Marlboro, 19, C.E., 5; Matteawan, 29.50, C.E., 10; Millerton, 13, C.E., 5; Newburgh, 1st, 58; Union, 71; New Hamburgh, 8.80; Pine Plains, 2 25, C.E., 3; Pleasant Valley, 20; Poughkeepsie, Jr. C.E., 5; Rondout, 27, C.E., 20; Smithfield, 8.50; Wappinger's Falls, C.E., 3; Wassaic, C.E., 6.07, 424.29

OTSEGO.—Cherry Valley, 10; Cooperstown, 7, Bethlehem Star Bd., 8; Delhi, 1st, 18, C.E., 20; 2d, 27.25, C.E., 13; Guilford Centre, 4.25, C.E., 5; Hobart, 7.50, Y.L.S., 5, C.E., 1; Margaretville, 4; Merridale, 3; Middlefield Centre, 3.50; New Berlin, 6; Oneonta, 14; Otego, 5, C.E., 5; Richfield Springs, 50; Springfield, 10, C.E., 5; Stamford, 22, C.E., 6, Jr. C.E., 5; Unadilla, 4, C.E., 4.50; Worcester, 3, Jr. C.E., 1, 277.00

ROCHESTER.—Avon, Central, 3.57, Kirkwood Club, 5; East, 10; Brockport, 102.92, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 2; Caledonia, 40; Charlotte, 22.50; Chili, 3; Fowlerville, 20; Gates, Bd., 4; Geneseo, 20, Jane Ward, 38, Systematic Givers, 14 20, Jr. Systematic Givers, 12.50, Cheerful Givers, 25, C.E., 4.60; Honeoye Falls, 9; Lima, C.E., 5; Mendon, 5; Moscow, 9, C. E., 1; Ogden, 20.75; Ossian, 18.77, C.E., 5; Pittsford, 7; Rochester, Brick, 160; Brighton, 30.75; Calvary, 33.50; Central, Y.W.S., 42, Jr. C.E., 10; East Side, 5; Emmanuel, 5; 1st, 50, Girls' Bd., 75; Grace, 12, C.E., 10; Mem'l, 29, King's Messengers, 15; Mt. Hor, 20; North, 100; St. Peter's, 92; 3d, 36.89, Y.W.S., 14.46; Westm'r, 26; Sweden, C.E., 5; Tuscarora, 1.90; Victor, 53; Webster, 10, 1,254 31

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STEUBEN.—Addison, 25, Y.W.S., 20, C.E., 2.50; Almond, 3.50, Violet Bd., 5; Andover, 6.18, C.E., 3; Angelica, 5, C. E., 4; Arkport, 2, C.E., 11; Atlanta, 2.50, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 1; Avoca, 4, C.E., 5.50, Jr. C.E., 2; Bath, 29, C.E., 16; Belmont, 5; Campbell, 20, C.E., 12, Jr. C.E., 3; Canaseraga, C. E., 3; Canisteo, 39, C.E., 37.50, Jr. C.E., 3.50; Cohocton, 5, Jr. C.E., 2; Corning, 33.50, Y.W.S., 12, Busy Bees, 15, C.E., 15; Cuba, 30, C.E., 10; Hammondsport, King's Daughters, 5, Sunshine Circle, 3, C.E., 5; Hornellsville, 1st, 36, C.E., 40, Jr. C.E., 10; Westm'r, C.E., 15, Jr. C.E., 15; Howard, 5, C.E., 2; Jasper, 4; Painted Post, 10, Jr. C.E., 7; Prattsburgh, 15, King's Daughters, 5, C.E., 4, Jr. C.E., 6; Pulteny, 10, 593.68

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UTICA.—Boonville, 25; Camden, 15; Clinton, 45, S.S., 25; Dolgeville, C.E., 3; Forestport, 7; Holland Patent, 17, Jr. C.E., 4, S.S., 10; Ilion, 38, One Mem., 15, C.E., 68, Jr. C.E., 35; Knoxboro, 19, Primary S.S., 1; Little Falls, 175, Girls' Bd., 30, Sunshine Bd., 10, C.E., 50, S.S., 25; Lowville, 37.95; Lyon Falls, 10, Rev. Mr. Spicer, 20; New Hartford, 10, Y.L.S., 15, Wide Awakes, 10, S.S., 25; New York Mills, 45, Cheerful Givers, 40.49; North Gage, 10.10; Oneida, 57.50, Jr. C.E., 1.50, Home Dept. S.S., 35; Oneida Castle, 18.25, Bd., 4.50, C.E., 10, Jr. C.E., 2; Oriskany, 7.50; Rome, 60, Mrs. L. M. Duffy, 25, S.S., 20; Sauquoit, 4.55; Turin, 10, In Mem. Miss E. C. Decker, 15; Utica, Bethany, Miss Gilbert, 125; 1st, 95, Five Ladies, 25, Y.L.S., 35, Girls' Gnild, 15, Boys' Bd., 15, Primary Do Good Bd., 15, S.S., 10, Home Dept., 15, Primary, S.S., 5; Mem'l, 19; Olivet, 18.10, Y.W. S., 8, Miss. Circle, 3, C.E., 8, Jr. C.E., 3.50, Y.W. Bible Cl., 7.50, Primary, S.S., 8; Westm'r, 210, Fisher Bd., 25, Brown Bd., 45, Jr. Brown Bd., 5, Baby Bd., 10, S.S., 25, One Cl., 3; Vernon, 3.75; Vernon Center, 11.50; Waterville, Do Good Bd., 10; Whitesboro, 10, Do Good Bd., 15, C.E., 3, S.S., One Cl., 3, 1,920.69

WESTCHESTER.—Bedford, 5; Brewster, S. E. Centre, 3; Bridgeport, Ct., 15, Bd., 10; Carmel, 15.25; Croton Falls, 2.50, C.E., 5; Dobbs Ferry, 10; Greenwich, Ct., 8.25; Harrison, 5; Hartford, Ct., 10; Holyoke, Mass., 6.25, C.E., 15; Irvington, 15; Katonah, 15, C.E., 10.25; Mahopac Falls, 2; Mt. Kisco, 25; Mt. Vernon, 31.18; New Haven, Ct., Bd., 2; New Rochelle, 1st, 50; Ossining, 19.35; Patterson, 5; Pelham Manor, 37.50; Pleasantville, 5; Rye, 91.51, Bd., 10; Scarboro, 15, C.E., 50; South Salem, 27, Jr. C.E., 2; Springfield, Mass., C.E., 10; Stamford, Ct., 45; Thompsonville, Ct., 5; White Plains, 35.53, C.E., 5; Yonkers, 1st, 25; Westminster, 39.58, Y.P. Assn., 10, Jr. C.E., 3, 701.15

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